

## The Courier-Gazette

THREE-TIMES-A-WEEK

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### NEWSPAPER HISTORY

The Rockland Gazette was established in 1846. In 1874 the Courier was established and consolidated with the Gazette in 1882. The Free Press was established in 1885 and in 1891 changed its name to the Tribune. These papers consolidated March 17, 1897.

Never be entirely idle; but either be reading, or writing, or meditating, or endeavoring something for the public good.  
—Thomas a Kempis

## "BOSTON NEWS LETTER"

Editor of The Courier-Gazette:

I read in the Saturday issue of your paper that a man from Lincolnville has copies of "The Boston News Letter" the first newspaper printed in America. He says there are only three in existence, so I suppose he refers to the first one which is dated Monday, April 17 to Monday April 24, 1704 because I have the same thing. If this be true, it is quite a coincidence that two of them should be owned within such a short distance as I also have a copy, and oddly enough mine too came from my grandmother who brought me up. Her family had it before she died, but I don't know its history before that time.

Mrs. G. W. Grover  
50 Pine Street, Rockland.

## THE MILLER FAMILY

History Compiled By Late Judge Miller Appears In Book Form

The history of the Miller family, compiled by the late Judge Frank Burton Miller, representing a lifetime of research by the author, has been published in book form. Bound in a handsome binding, with 19 illustrations and complete index.

It concerns the descendants of Frank Miller, who settled in Waldo-boro in 1753.

Other families represented: Abbott, Achorn, Adams, Ames, Andrews, Barnes, Barrett, Barrows, Barstow, Battles, Bayer, Beckler, Benner, Bigelow, Black, Blake, Bowers, Bowles, Bradford, Brown, Bryant, Burgess, Burnham, Burnheimer, Burns, Byerly, Candage, Canney, Carter, Carver, Chapman, Chase Clark, Cobb, Coburn, Cole, Collins, Creamer, Crockett, Crosby, Crute, Cuba, Cummings, Daggett, Davis, Day, Dennison, Dey, Douglass, Dresser, Drew, Elwell, Egle, Farley, Feyler, Fisk, Flinders, Flint, French, Frost, Fuller, Purry, Genthner, Gould, Graves, Green, Gross, Grotton, Gustin, Hall, Harbott, Harriman, Haskell, Hanks, Hicks, Hodgkins, Hoffman, Hoffes, Hol, Hovey, Howell, Hubbard, Hunt, Hunter, Hutchinson, Irish, Jones, Kaler, Keen, Kelley, Klepper, Kuhn, Leach, Leavitt, Lebrooke, Levensaler, Lewis, Lineham, Loomis, Louger, Ludwig, Luffin, Lunt, Martin, Mason, Matthews, Maxine, Merrill, Merrifield, Millin, Mitchell, Morse, Musgrave, McShaine, Nason, Oliver, Oriff, Page, Parker, Penley, Poland, Powers, Racqiliff, Reed, Rice, Richardson, Ripley, Rivers, Robb, Robbins, Robinson, Rund, Russell, Sampson, Schmidt, Schwartz, Sherwood, Shuman, Sidelinger, Sides, Singer, Smith, Soule, Spencer, Sprague, Stackpole, Stahl, Stone, Storer, Thing, Thompson, Tibbets, Tilden, Tobey, Tufts, Twombly, Tyler, Wagner, Walden, Walker, Wallace, Walter, Walz, Wellcome, Wellman, Weit, Wentworth, Whittier, Wineapaw, Winslow, Woodford, Woodward, Young, York.

The price of the volume is \$5 and postage. Copies may be obtained from Judge Edward K. Gould.

## A VETERAN HUNTER

E. J. Kallach Of Warren Remembers When Deer Were Rare In Knox County

Edwin J. Kallach, who is 87 years old this month is one of the oldest, active hunters in the State. Fifty-nine years ago he trapped for 10 years, stopping at the end of that time because beaver, which were being rapidly exterminated, were protected. During that time he trapped fisher, otter, and bear as well as beaver, going 25 or 30 miles into the woods beyond Ashland by canoe or afoot, or sometimes on a logging team. Usually he had a partner, but one or two years he was alone. Even with a partner, it was seldom they were together, as each had a trap line of 50 or 60 miles to cover, and were away from the home camp for a week or 10 days at a time. Their nights were spent in "way" camps, many of them with open fronts.

"I love the wilderness as a sailor loves the sea," said Mr. Kallach. "There is always something to see, and always something new."

"What fresh meat did you use to supplement your flour, beans, pork, molasses?"

Caribou were plenty then in that section—strange that deer then were hardly known there—and now the caribou have gone and deer are plenty there—and we carried our rifles on the trap line until we had our winter's supply of meat. After being skinned they were placed in the snow to freeze and would keep that way until into April. Other wild animals seldom bothered it.

"We also ate porcupine, and other small game."

"Bear is particularly good eating, but all the bear I ever shot were thin. They come in out of hibernation in the Spring in good condition, but this fat leaves them very quickly after that. I remember once some friends of mine shot a bear they had found in a hollow tree. The fat on him was five or six inches thick, and I secured nine gallons by drying it out and sold it for \$2 a gallon. His meat was delicious."

I shot a 30-pound otter while walking along a stream five miles away from camp. I had noticed a somewhat peculiar mound in the center of the ice and had just said to myself, "There'd be some sense in it if an otter would come out of that, when out he popped I drilled him right square through the head. I carried him over my shoulder to camp and both shoulders were sore for a week afterward. The hardest animal I ever skinned was the beaver. There is no stripping of his skin, you have to cut every mite of the way."

"Deer were not too plentiful in Knox County 25 years ago. It was seldom that one was shot. As for seeing one, people made as much of it as they would now if they saw a lion in the woods. How news of sighting a deer would travel in those days. Now for the past few seasons, it is not unusual for 25 to be shot in Warren alone, to say nothing of the surrounding towns. Game must, however be rigidly protected. Wild life is rapidly disappearing. I do not believe in posting land, but I am afraid it may be necessary if the game is not to become extinct. Birds have the same story this season. Time was when a lone hunter and dog would go into the woods for bird hunting. Now it is nearly always a group with several dogs. They always have their bird."

Mr. Kallach was asked if he thought pheasant could be successful game birds in the State?

"I doubt if they will replace the partridge, as it seems to be the pheasant is essentially a ground feeder," he replied. A bird that can be shot in the woods and the pheasant does not. Snows are likely to hinder ground feeding, of course."

"Accurate shooting is a gift," Mr. Kallach wound up, "you can tutor any man with reasonably good eyesight so that after a few hours he would be surprised at his accuracy, but real shooting is a gift that not everybody can have."

## DO YOU FAVOR PLAN?

Congressmen Being Asked If They Will Help the Townsend Bill

Townsend plan leaders have started a pre-session poll of House of Representatives sentiment on the plan to pay a \$200 a month pension to all over 60. The poll is the first move in a new drive to crystallize opinion behind the plan.

Members returning for the re-convening of Congress in January reported receiving a questionnaire signed by R. E. Clements, co-founder with Dr. F. E. Townsend of the movement. The questionnaire asks:

"Are you in favor of the plan?"

"Did you vote for H. R. 1154 (the McGroarty bill embodying the Townsend plan)?"

"Can we rely upon your help to pass a bill embodying the Townsend plan at the coming session?"

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## TOMORROW IS DONATION DAY

Winslow-Holbrook Post Asks Full Public Support In Filling a Thousand Baskets

Tomorrow is Donation Day in Rockland. Winslow-Holbrook Post, American Legion, is again sponsoring the greatest single charitable effort of the year designed to fill a thousand food baskets for the Christmas season. The plan is simplicity itself. Three shows will be given at Strand Theatre 2.00, 6.30 and 8.30. Instead of a regular fee, any quantity of foodstuffs will serve as the admission ticket. Those who wish to pay at the box office instead of supplying food may do so and the proceeds will be used to purchase essential supplies. Those sending food either Sunday or Monday may have them left at the store next south of the Strand, formerly home of Crockett's 5 & 10 cent to \$1.00 store.

The checking of the great list of those to receive baskets, a huge task in itself, shows one more name than was received a year ago, so it is easily seen that a great demand exists and the public must necessarily be generous. The merchants have done and are doing splendidly by the Legion and it is hoped that sufficient food will be received to meet all requirements.

Be generous tomorrow. Go to the Strand and see the new first run Lou Ayres feature "Silk Hat Kid." If you prefer to send your donation, do it, for this is the last call. Donald L. Kelsey is chairman of the event.

## A PLAN OF UNION

Which Would Bring Eight Million Methodists Into the United Church

A plan to bring 8,000,000 Methodists together into a united church after more than 100 years of separation was disclosed in detail for the first time today.

A judicial council with power to rule on the constitutionality of church conference actions is an important part of the plan. The council's functions would be somewhat similar to those of the Supreme court.

The council idea is incorporated in a "plan of union" to consolidate the three main denominational groups of Methodists in this country under a new name—the Methodist church. The plan recently was ratified at Cincinnati by representatives of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, and the Methodist Protestant church. Details were announced Thursday by Dr. Harry E. Woolver, secretary of the joint commission on Methodist union.

Every representative at the Cincinnati conference, Dr. Woolver said, "expressed the belief that, after 70 years of negotiation commencing soon after the close of the Civil War, the steps were about consummated to make a new church for the people called Methodists under the title, 'The Methodist church.'"

Before the plan can go into effect it must be approved by the general conferences of the three denominations. Two of these meet next May and the Southern church two years later. Then the local churches must ratify through annual conferences. Church leaders are certain of ultimate approval.

## NEARING THE END

Home Owners' Loan Corporation Soon To Cease Lending Activities

The Home Owners Loan Corporation is nearing completion of its lending activities, but officials say there will be no material reduction in personnel for some months.

The corporation now has 20,000 employees, an increase of 1228 over last January and about 500 fewer than November, 1934, the peak month. The payroll now aggregates about \$2,500,000 monthly.

As jobs in the lending field are discontinued, officials said, employees are being shifted to collection loan servicing and similar duties. Those who are not qualified for the new work are being replaced.

The corporation plans to cease lending operations in 11 States Jan. 1 and in the remainder on various dates prior to the June 13 statutory deadline.

The corporation was formed to extend financial aid to home owners in distress.

## FUEL FOR SCHOOLS

Bids wanted for fuel for schools of Warren. Wood to be 1 1/2 feet long, mostly split, to be piled into sheds or cellar by Sept. 1, 1936. Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Send bids to B. E. Starrett, chairman of committee, Warren.

## TURNING LOOSE \$420,000

Receiver Payson, Rockland National Bank, Makes 6000 Depositors Happy At Yuletide

Perhaps the most interesting advertisement which appeared in our Thursday issue was the announcement of Edward C. Payson, receiver, that the Rockland National Bank will pay its third dividend next Tuesday through the First National Bank of Rockland.

The dividend would have been declared at least three months sooner, but for technicalities with the department in Washington. The payment is authorized by the Comptroller of the Currency, and while belated, it comes at a time when finances are especially welcome to any individual or concern.

With the payment of this dividend depositors who had business with the Rockland National Bank will have received 83 percent of the money which they had entrusted there.

The amount of the present dividend is approximately \$420,000, which will be divided among 6000 depositors, the bulk of whom are in Rockland, although practically every town in Knox County will be affected.

The last dividend was declared June 5, 1934, and a fourth dividend will be declared possibly the coming year, making a clean-up considerably in excess of what some of the depositors had thought might be possible.

Receiver Payson has held his present position since Aug. 18, 1933. He modestly declines to be the recipient of any special praise, so this paper is unable to tell its readers what splendid results it thinks he has achieved.

## THE FOXES ARE SAFE

Special Act Of Legislature Necessary To Extend Time In Knox County

President Fred C. Black presided last night over one of the most successful meetings ever held by the executive committee and advisory board of the Knox County Fish and Game Association. The session was held in the private dining room of The Thorndike, the attractiveness of which, and the menu, appealed forcibly to the mighty anglers and nimble-rods.

There was plenty to talk about, and the 20 members present spoke their mind. Edward T. Dornan especially advocating that important matters be thrashed out in the open meetings instead of all being settled at the committee sessions. He believed such a policy would call out a larger attendance, and with this idea President Black promptly concurred.

Arthur McDonald of Thomaston, speaking in behalf of the delegation which had gone to Augusta last day to consult with Commissioner Stobie about an extension of the fox hunting season, and reinforcing its request with a long list of petitioners, reported "nothing doing," as it is not possible to change the present law without a special act of Legislature. The committee also conferred with Judge Sanford L. Fogge, representing the Attorney General's department.

"It's the law, and all you can do about it," the visitors were told. Needless to say Knox County will be heard from when the matter is brought up in 1937.

P. P. Bicknell rendered a report concerning the proposal to clean Lily Pond (above Alford's Lake) build a dam and use it as a rearing pool for salmon. "As it is now," said Pul, "the pond is a rearing pool for pickerel and they come down into Alford's."

Commissioner Stobie has promised to have a look at the pond. "Salmon will mature there," positively asserted Clinton J. Bowley, who thought the cost of a dam would be \$50.

"You can get all the large trout you want, but what about the transportation?" asked Dr. Walter P. Conley. President Black promptly volunteered the use of his four-ton truck, but it was found that only a few fish could be brought at a time, and many trips would be necessary.

It developed that between meetings Megunticook Lake fishermen wanted aid in securing a screen and President Black had guaranteed this. There had been some private contributions and a hired truck had brought down some large fish. Frank E. Morrow reported.

Clint Bowley, lusty shouter for Alford's Lake, advocated that something be done to supply that "natural salmon pond."

Mr. Dornan, speaking in behalf of a family which has been traditionally prominent in fish and game circles, promised that firm's co-operation, remarking that he had never seen a salmon in the mill pond.

Ernest C. Davis said he had never seen 10 fish below the dam. "Leave the screen out and you will see better fishing," he advocated.

The proposed plan of stocking Ducktrap Stream with sea salmon, found a very skeptical listener in Arthur E. McDonald, who has sought these fish in Newfoundland, Nova Scotia and Cape Breton, and finds that they are being steadily forced eastward and northward.

## STUDIED "BRAZIL"

The Methodist Mission Workers Found Much To Interest Them

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church had Mrs. Edith Tweedie as hostess Thursday afternoon, the meeting opening with the impressive stewardship ritual. After business, Mrs. Evelyn Orcutt took charge as program leader, her assistants being Mrs. Lena de Rochemont, Mrs. Esther Dulliver, and Mrs. Rebecca Ingraham. The theme of devotional exercises was "The Lord gave the word," with Mrs. de Rochemont in charge.

Mrs. Orcutt introduced briefly her topic "Brazil" as part of the year's study subject "Women Under the Southern Cross," and placed upon the large map of South America a map of Brazil in yellow, yellow signifying the yellow in the flag and the gold from the mines. Yellow was also used in room decorations and refreshments served later.

Mrs. Ella Curvey and Mrs. Minnie Cross gave sketches of Brazil enlarging on missions in that country, and as Brazil was founded by the Portuguese, Mrs. Thelma Stanley sang the Portuguese hymn, "How firm a foundation." The word in South America under evangelism was presented by Mrs. Alice Brookes, and Mrs. Orcutt closed the program with a paper on "The Land of the Amazon."

As coffee was featured in refreshments, Mrs. Ruth Ellingwood gave a talk on coffee which was served augmented by sandwiches filled with yellow cheese and small yellow cakes with yellow icing topped with Brazil nuts. The January meeting will be on Peru and Uruguay, at the home of Mrs. Brookes, with Mrs. Ellingwood as leader.

## A VARIED PROGRAM

And One Which Was Greatly Enjoyed By Universalist Mission Circle

The monthly meeting of the Universalist Mission Circle at the vestry Wednesday afternoon had an attendance of 30 members and two guests. The January meeting will be on Peru and Uruguay, at the home of Mrs. Brookes, with Mrs. Ellingwood as leader.

Mrs. Emily Stewart was announced as a new member. An interesting letter from Miss Gladys Smith was read, coming from Glenfield, Ont., a small settlement which boasts a Universalist church and mission.

## YOUR FAVORITE POEM

If I had my life to live again I would have made it a rule to read some poetry and listen to some music at least once a week. The loss of these tastes is a loss of happiness.—Charles Darwin.

## THE SEASONS CHANGE

"The seasons change"—eternity advances—The course of Time is onward, day by day. The beautiful of earth, beneath his glances, Continue still to droop and fade away.

"The seasons change"—the friends so remain to us in memory alone; The aspirations of our youth have perished. Upon the rapid wings of time have flown.

"The seasons change"—the days of youth have fled; The springtime of our life has passed away; Yet in our inmost heart we still secreted The pleasant memories of a former day.

—James F. Fitts

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## STATE LIQUOR COMMISSION

Augusta

Legal Notice

Regulations as to the Importation of Spirituous and Vinous Liquors

Section 1. The State Liquor Commission, upon application, may issue to any person who has not been convicted of violating the laws of the United States or of the State of Maine relating to intoxicating liquors, an importer's permit to import spirituous and vinous liquors into this state, for personal use or for medicinal, mechanical, scientific or religious purposes.

Section 2. The fee for an importer's permit shall be five dollars per annum. Hospitals, dispensaries, druggists, doctors, dentists, manufacturers, churches and those engaged in scientific work are exempt from the payment of the permit fee. The permit shall be good for one year from the date of issuance.

Section 3. No person shall import or cause to be transported into this state spirituous or vinous liquors without an importer's permit issued by the State Liquor Commission.

Section 4. It shall be prima facie evidence that the consignee of spirituous and vinous liquors is not the holder of an importer's permit, if the package or container is not properly labeled stating the name and number of the permit.

Section 5. All spirituous and vinous liquors imported or caused to be transported into this state to any person not a holder of an importer's permit shall be seized and forfeited as now provided by law.

Section 6. Whoever violates Section Three of these regulations shall be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars or by imprisonment for a term not more than eleven months, or by both fine and imprisonment.

These regulations are promulgated under authority vested in the State Liquor Commission by Section 5 of Chapter 368, Public Laws of 1933, and by Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 179, Public Laws of 1935, and shall have the force and effect of law.

Effective, Dec. 16th, A. D. 1935.

Dated this fifth day of December, A. D. 1935.

(Signed) DAVID WALTON, Chairman,  
J. B. COUTURE,  
State Liquor Commission.

A true copy, Attest:  
FRED D. HARVEY, Chief Clerk.

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## THE ROCKLAND NATIONAL BANK

Pays Third Dividend

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1935

## Through The First National Bank of Rockland

This dividend of 10% will make 83% paid to depositors to date

RECEIVER'S CERTIFICATES MUST BE PRESENTED FOR ENDORSEMENT

Edward C. Payson, Receiver

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Let all your things be done with  
charity. 1 Cor. 13: 14.

SHIPS AND SPUDS

Two Subjects In Which Our  
Congressmen Will Interest  
Themselves

Maine Congressmen will be found  
in the thick of the fight revolving  
around two major legislative propo-  
sals during the coming session,  
says an Associated Press despatch.

A ship subsidy bill, ordered by the  
administration last session, will loom  
large on the restricted docket of the  
expected short session this year.  
Representative Moran, a foe of the  
Bland-Copeland bill which died on  
receiving Administration disfavor last  
session, is expected to take an active  
part to promote a bill compelling more  
closely with his views.

The announced intention of the  
farm administration to seek liberaliza-  
tion of the potato control act, strik-  
ing at one of Maine's major interests,  
will bring Representative Brewster  
into a fight for conservation of the  
potato grower's demands.  
The form the proposed liberaliza-  
tion will take has not yet been re-  
vealed. The opposition of small grow-  
ers has led to belief it might involve  
a larger exemption for small growers,  
or perhaps more liberal exemptions  
for shipments in restricted areas.  
Backed by Aroostook county growers  
who have stood firmly in support of  
the present measure Representative  
Brewster is expected to oppose any  
liberalization which might mean a  
material increase in tax-exempt po-  
tato marketings.

Brewster was one of the outstand-  
ing lieutenants of Representative  
Warren (D-S.C.) in securing House  
approval of the potato bill and its in-  
sertion in the Agricultural Adjust-  
ment Act amendments last session.

The Administration order near the  
end of the session opposing the  
Bland-Copeland ship subsidy bill ap-  
peared at least a partial vindication  
of Moran's stand against the bill.  
Before the committee, and during a  
long floor fight in the House Moran  
argued that the measure tended to  
perpetuate abuses in past operation of  
the merchant marine, as revealed in  
a Senate investigation. He urged a  
substitute measure which he offered.  
The amendments he proposed in con-  
junction with Representative Wearin  
(D-Ia) were rejected.

Renewed consideration of a sub-  
sidy bill will give him a new oppor-  
tunity to push his measure. His bill  
provided for private operation of gov-  
ernment-owned vessels, the operators  
to be given contracts awarded on the  
basis of competitive bidding.

SIXTH GRADE WON

Had Largest Parent Repre-  
sentation At Thomaston  
P. T. A. Meeting

Prior to Thursday's meeting of the  
Thomaston Parent Teacher Associa-  
tion, word had gone around to the  
effect that Fifth grade (Miss Luce)  
was going to have pretty tough sledd-  
ing if it expected to hold on to the  
banner awarded to the class having  
the largest representation of parents  
at the meeting. Fifth grade has come  
through as the winner month after  
month, even back in the days when  
it was only the Fourth grade, in spite  
of the fact that it is a class consid-  
erably outnumbered by most of the  
other classes.

When the smoke of battle had  
cleared away Thursday night, and  
after several recounts, it was found  
that the advance rumors had been  
correct, and that Sixth Grade (Miss  
Robertson) had obtained possession  
of the banner by the narrow margin  
of one vote over Fifth grade, with  
Fourth grade (Mrs. Libby) only two  
votes behind Fifth. The return  
match in January should be worth  
going miles to see. The contest was  
only one of a series of interesting  
events at this December meeting.

The program arranged by Miss Al-  
canda Hall was very well received. It  
included a medley of Christmas  
Carols sung by a group of grade chil-  
dren, a poem by Joseph Richards, and  
a reading by Lewis Johnson. The  
speaker of the evening was Supt.  
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time schools in Thomaston and Knox  
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Mrs. Wilbur Strong had on exhibi-  
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ings completed as part of the regular  
courses in the Thomaston Schools,  
and a candy sale, which was a com-  
plete sell out, was handled by Mrs.  
Guy Lermond, Mrs. Charlotte Gray  
and Mrs. Fay Weston. Each Parent  
Teacher meeting shows an increased  
attendance, and this one taxed the  
capacity of the High School Audi-  
torium.

PLEGDED TO "FRATS"

More Than 200 Freshmen Will Join  
Fifteen U. of M. Organizations

More than 200 freshmen have been  
pledged to 15 University of Maine  
fraternities. Three houses, Sigma  
Alpha Epsilon, Kappa Sigma, and  
Theta Chi, had 21 pledged each. The  
remainder were divided from nine to  
20 to each fraternity.

Students from this section are  
pledged to the following "frats":  
Theta Chi—Carleton Payson, Union,  
Sigma Chi—Ellis Ramdell, Rock-  
land.

Kappa Sigma—Richard Thomas,  
Rockland.  
Sigma Alpha Epsilon—Elmer Hart,  
South Hope.

Delta Tau Delta—Richard Hopkins,  
Camden; Alton Thorndike, Camden.  
Alpha Gamma Rho—John Burns,  
Union; Robert Farris, Jr., Union.  
Phi Kappa Sigma—Richard Buck-  
lin, South Warren.  
Alpha Tau Omega—Edward Hutch-  
inson, Little Deer Isle.

WISH YOURSELF  
A Merry Christmas for 1936



We invite you to enjoy a  
"new-fashioned" Christmas  
next year. The old-fashioned  
way was to wait until the  
last minute to buy things—to scrape  
up all the money you could out of  
December earnings—to mortgage a  
good part of January earnings and  
look back upon it all with a grate-  
ful sigh—"Well, Christmas comes  
but once a year."

The new-fashioned way leaves  
all the merriness in Christmas, and  
takes out all the weariness. You  
save a definite amount each week,  
for 50 weeks. Before Christmas we  
send you a check, and the rest is  
sheer joy of giving. JOIN NOW.

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WITH THE BOWLERS

Abbott Has His Eye On the  
Pins—Camden Duo Has  
Walkover

Perry's Marketers rose in their  
wrath at the Star alleys Thursday  
night, and smote Armour & Co. to  
the tune of 170 points. One reason for  
the deluge was a tall, good-looking  
bowler by the name of Abbott, who  
opened the ball with a string of 113,  
and followed it with 142. Naturally  
he lugged off the evening's honors.  
The summary:

Perry's Market—Howard 254,  
O'Donnell 246, Maloney 277, Abbott  
341, Mitchell 314, total 1430.  
Armour & Co.—Higgins 211, Flagg  
256, Black 271, Jackson 225, Glidden  
299, total 1262.

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Teacher meeting shows an increased  
attendance, and this one taxed the  
capacity of the High School Audi-  
torium.

PLEGDED TO "FRATS"

More Than 200 Freshmen Will Join  
Fifteen U. of M. Organizations

More than 200 freshmen have been  
pledged to 15 University of Maine  
fraternities. Three houses, Sigma  
Alpha Epsilon, Kappa Sigma, and  
Theta Chi, had 21 pledged each. The  
remainder were divided from nine to  
20 to each fraternity.

Students from this section are  
pledged to the following "frats":  
Theta Chi—Carleton Payson, Union,  
Sigma Chi—Ellis Ramdell, Rock-  
land.

Kappa Sigma—Richard Thomas,  
Rockland.  
Sigma Alpha Epsilon—Elmer Hart,  
South Hope.

Delta Tau Delta—Richard Hopkins,  
Camden; Alton Thorndike, Camden.  
Alpha Gamma Rho—John Burns,  
Union; Robert Farris, Jr., Union.  
Phi Kappa Sigma—Richard Buck-  
lin, South Warren.  
Alpha Tau Omega—Edward Hutch-  
inson, Little Deer Isle.

At The High School  
(By the Pupils)

The manual training classes have  
been engaged in making scenery, this  
week, for the senior class play, "Adam  
and Eve," which is to be presented  
Dec. 19 and 20. A French door, a  
set of window blinds, window box,  
chicken house, and parts of a barn  
scene have been constructed, and  
scenery for an interior and exterior  
scene painted, all of which predicts  
that a good show is in store for all  
ticket buyers.

Committees for the Kippy Karni-  
val have been chosen this week:  
general chairman, Carl Spear, as-  
sistant, Elizabeth Till; decorating,  
Glenna Rankin, assistant, Kent  
Stanley; advertising, Charles Merritt,  
assistant, Russell Nash; dance,  
Margaret Dunton, assistant, Robert  
Crane; clean-up, William Karl, as-  
sistant, Kenneth Morgan; entertain-  
ment, Vieno Kangas, assistant, Ruth  
Marston. This annual event, which  
is one of the most important of the  
year, will take place in February.

A stamp club has been formed,  
with Miss Hellier as faculty advisor.  
Excellent collections have been made  
by Leland Turner and Herbert Good-  
win, and others are in the making  
by the 20 members joining this week.

In sophomore Latin, in correlation  
with the study of the Argonauts,  
Charles Toner has made a large and  
clever pencil drawing entitled "The  
Argo passes through the Clashing  
Rocks."

A Christmas party for members of  
the faculty is being given next Wed-  
nesday evening by Miss Hellier, Miss  
Salmond, and Miss Stahl at Miss  
Hellier's home.

An inspection trip was made  
recently by members of the junior  
business class to the Rockland Sav-  
ings Bank. First National Bank,  
Knox County Trust Company, and the  
Rockland Building and Loan As-  
sociation. They were courteously  
shown thru all parts of the buildings,  
and instructed in the use of the  
vaults, burglar alarms, safety devices,  
currency, and checking systems. It  
was a rare opportunity made possible  
by the officials of these institutions.

The foods class, conducted by Miss  
Stevens, last week made a variety of  
cakes, bearing such names as true  
sponge, creole sponge, orange sponge,  
hot milk cake, chocolate and fudge  
loaf, plantation marble, golden spice,  
economical gold, and Lady Baltimore.  
This week they have been busy mak-  
ing pies—apple, mince, lemon  
meringue, banana, fruit salad, squash  
and chocolate.

The French department was inter-  
ested in looking over a copy of "La  
Pleine Lune," a French paper pub-  
lished monthly by Camden High  
School, and issued on the day when  
the moon is full. This month's copy  
was especially interesting since it  
contained an account of the French  
Christmas story and of French  
Christmas customs.

In the popularity contest being run  
by the Highlite in which is being  
selected the most popular boy and  
girl in both the senior high and  
junior high, the leaders are: Senior  
High, Margaret Dunton and Cath-  
erine Chisholm; Junior High, Sylvia  
Hayes and Patricia Allen, Albert  
Pease and Kent Glover.

Eye and ear tests are being given to  
all pupils in the building.

Winifred Pinkham is school  
stenographer this week.

A Junior High school was held last  
evening, with each division putting  
on a fifteen minute program. The  
7-4's program, under the direction of  
Miss Tappay consisted of a tap dance,  
Mary Reynolds; colored boys dia-  
logue, Paul Stevens, and Clarence  
Butler; gypsy dance, Doris Gatti,  
Fruella Brazier, Lena Cuccinello,  
Marian Harrington; violin solo,  
Shirlene McKinney.

The holiday spirit is being reflected  
in the blackboard borders and

decorations in the rooms. An espe-  
cially interesting poster in Mrs.  
Brown's room depicts the pilgrimage  
to Jerusalem of the Three Wise Men.  
The border in Mr. Libby's room was  
put on by Sylvia Hayes and Beverly  
Bowden and designed by Betty Beach  
and Jessie Olds. Window decora-  
tions for 8-3 were designed by Evelyn  
Bartlett, and students having Christ-  
mas drawings include Shirley Allen,  
Jessie Olds, Edward Hillgrove, Bever-  
ly Bowden, Kathleen Dean, and Betty  
Beach.

A faculty meeting was held Mon-  
day with "The Criteria of a Good  
Assignment" as the subject. Speak-  
ers included Miss Haskell, Miss  
Salmond, and Miss deRochemont.

In connection with the study of  
Shakespeare's "Hamlet," remarkable  
notebooks have been made by Miles  
Sawyer, Margery Bartlett, and  
Marie Williamson. The compilation  
included such titles as "My Favorite  
Character," "A Short Scene Put In  
My Own Words," "The Scene That I  
Expect To Remember The Longest,"  
and "Historical Events," and free-  
hand drawings were made of Shake-  
speare, his desk, his sedan chair, his  
home, and a plan of Stratford.

At the freshman social, held  
recently, the entertainment consisted  
of a presentation of "The Voice of  
the People" with Patricia Hall ask-  
ing questions and conducting the  
program. Various pupils were  
selected from the audience and were  
questioned by Miss Hall, whose  
answers caused great amusement,  
especially those of Sam Glover, Jim  
Accardi, Charles Merritt, Eleanor  
Mattatall, and Marie Joy. The  
second half of the program was de-  
voted to a style show, a takeoff on  
one given recently at an assembly.  
Rogyr Perry was master of cere-  
monies and the models who wore the  
latest of fashionable "gowns" in-  
cluded Elmer Lufkin, James Bostick,  
Frank Steeves, Grant Davis, Joseph  
Dondis, Robert Harmon, James Skin-  
ner, George Condon, Solomon Owen,  
Frank DeWolfe, Donald Chisholm,  
Stanley Condon, and Richard Karl.  
As a part of this program, George  
Huntley rendered two songs.

"The Eternal Triangle," was the  
subject of Tuesday's assembly pro-  
gram given by the geometry class,  
under the direction of Miss Tower,  
which proved to be one of the most  
interesting assemblies of the year.  
The bible selection from 1 Kings, 7,  
read by Betty McAlary, concerned  
the strength of the temple, with  
mention of cubits, bases, and hand-  
breadths. A brief history of the tri-  
angle by Sylvia Tyler and a demon-  
stration of the Egyptian method of  
finding right angles (known as the  
three-four-five method) was given  
by Robert Crane, James East, and  
Charles Dorgan. David Curtis' speech  
on the strength of the triangle was  
supplemented by a demonstra-  
tion by Willis Anderson and Kenneth  
Morgan, a wooden model of steel  
radio tower by Roger Bronkie and  
Sam Glover, and a talk and demon-  
stration by James Hayes on the use  
of the triangle in aircraft construc-  
tion. Margaret Rogers gave a brief  
account of the triangle's expansion of  
the triangle in trees and mountains,  
while Melissa Bostick explained its  
use in art and architecture. Vieno  
Kangas explained the triangular  
construction often used in plots for  
novels, and Barbara Orff, with her  
committee of Margaret Simmons,  
Mary Ulmer, David Hyler, and  
Meredith Dondis, had a display to  
show the use of triangles in designs.  
This display consisted of a quilt, a  
three cornered scarf, pennant, novel-  
ty box, and lettering. Eleanor Look  
with a group of four assistants,  
Francis Havener, Mary Havener,  
Harvey Crowley, and June Cook,  
demonstrated how the individual or  
even a group arrangement suggests a  
triangle. Russell Hickman explained  
a simple demonstration for measur-  
ing the height and distances (which  
is the basis for surveying) while Kent  
Stanley, Paul Chapman, and Harold  
Spofford measured the height of the  
curtain. The program ended with a  
miscellaneous display of objects,  
triangular in shape, explained by  
Barrett, Eulit, Frederick, Mac  
Donald and Ruth Pike were property  
managers, and Meredith Dondis,  
Frederick Kenney, and Gordon  
Thompson were stage managers.

NORTH HAVEN

W. S. Hopkins was in Rockland  
Thursday on business.

At a special town meeting Tuesday  
night in Crockett hall, H. T. Croc-  
ett was elected moderator. Articles  
acted upon were those relative to  
abatement of taxes on the houses of  
the Improvement Society occupied by  
the doctor and High School principal.  
Also, taxes were abated on the Golf  
links. It was voted the town buy a  
V plow at a cost of \$605 delivered.  
There were 50 or more voters present.  
Exercises were held in the grade  
schools Friday afternoon under the  
direction of the teachers Mr. Law-  
rence, Miss Nickerson and Miss Net-  
tie Beverage.

The local stores are showing fine  
enterprise in Christmas decorations  
and display of goods.  
Christmas health seals are on sale  
at the local stores and at Mrs. Lester  
Stone's. As they did not arrive in  
season for sale by the school children  
it is hoped there may be a generous  
purchase of them through the stores.

Worship Sunday at 11 a. m., with  
sermon by the pastor "Happiness.  
What it is and where it may be  
found." Singing by the chorus choir.  
Church school at 10 a. m. There were  
96 present last Sunday. The Friend-  
ly Bible Class invites all young men  
to join. Last Wednesday night 15  
members of the class were enter-  
tained at the home of Deacon Fred  
Carver. There was a fine treat of  
choice apples, fudge, chocolates and  
pop-corn cakes. The class was great-  
ly interested in Mr. Carver's draw-  
ings of ships and there was given him  
and Miss Carver a vote of thanks for  
their hospitality. The band will as-  
sist with several selections at the  
service Sunday night.

Miss Marion Howard went Tuesday  
to Eagle for a short visit.

George Brown returned Monday  
from Plainfield where he was guest  
of Paton Dyer.

A surprise party was given Tuesday  
night for Mrs. Vena Curtis in honor  
of her birthday anniversary.

Neal Burgess and Kenneth Gills  
are cutting firewood for F. S. Carver.  
Will Sampson recently butchered a  
large steer weighing about 575 pounds.

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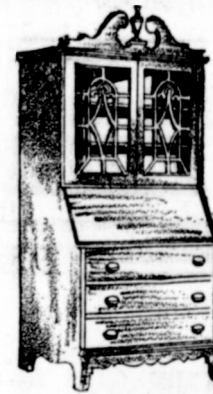
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TALK OF THE TOWN

**COMING NEIGHBORHOOD EVENTS**  
Dec. 14—So. Thomaston. Limerock Valley Pomona meets with Wessaweskeas Grange.  
Dec. 15—Warren Cantata. "The Herald Angels" at Baptist Church.  
Dec. 16—Postponed meeting of Parent-Teacher Association at High School.  
Dec. 18—Thomaston-Christmas fair at St. John's Church.  
Dec. 25—Christmas Day.



There will be a Sunday school workers' conference at the Methodist vestry Tuesday evening following prayer meeting.

At the meeting of Knox Lodge 100P. Monday night there will be a rehearsal of the initiatory degree. All officers are asked to be present.

George Harrison of Portland affectionately called "daddy" of the Rockland Kiwanis Club will be the speaker at the meeting next Monday night at 6.15 at The Copper Kettle.

Children of the Junior Department of the Methodist church school are to have a Christmas tree party Tuesday at the vestry at 3:45 with Miss Madeline Lary, young people's worker, in charge.

A subscription order of one month and 25c in payment for Dorothy M. Richards, was left at our office Tuesday afternoon. No address was given thereby making it impossible for us to send this paper. Please telephone this address to 770.

Miriam Rebekah Lodge meeting Tuesday will have a card party in the afternoon, at 2, with Mrs. Lola Smith in charge. Supper at 6.15 will be followed by a joke Christmas tree, a tree for children of members. Members without children may take a child for the occasion.

Edwin Libby Relief Corps had an all-day tacking of quilts, with supper in charge of Mrs. Priscilla Smith. The afternoon card party completed the series, and Mrs. Streeter Webster won the capital prize. The meeting next Thursday will observe the annual Christmas party, each member to take an inexpensive gift.

There will be a rehearsal of the Rubinstein Club Christmas Monday at the home of Mrs. Ruth E. Sanborn to work on numbers for the guest evening program, Dec. 20. The rehearsal is called for 6:45 sharp as some of the members have to be released to attend church rehearsal. Chorus members are Miss Gertrude Smith, Mrs. Eva Green, Miss Margaret Simmons, Mrs. Esther Berman, Mrs. Sammie Rose Gardner, Miss Gladys Grant, Miss Katherine Keating, Mrs. Blanche Morton, Mrs. Mary Glidden, Mrs. Fern Brown, Mrs. Lydia Storer and Mrs. Muriel Crie.

Ruth Mayhew Tent Monday will have all-day tacking, with picnic dinner. Supper at 6 will be in charge of Mrs. Priscilla Smith, Mrs. Doris Ames and Mrs. Sarah Thomas. The occasion will observe the 50th anniversary of the founding of the National order, Daughters of Union Veterans, and supper will feature a birthday cake for the event as well as a second cake for all members whose birthdays fall in December, for whom there will be a special table. Honor guests will be Grand Army veterans and widows of veterans. A program in keeping with the anniversary will be presented before the evening session, in charge of Mrs. Eliza Plummer, patriotic instructor, and at intermission there will be a Christmas tree, for which members are to take a small gift. At the previous meeting the council was elected, comprising Mrs. Carrie House, Mrs. Irene Winslow and Mrs. Lucy Bucklin.

Garden club members attention. Send me the name of your local garden club president together with \$1.50 and you will receive 1 year subscription to House Beautiful. This offer is good for this month only as the regular price is \$3.00. Write for Christmas Gift specials. Fred E. Harden, Tel. 35-W. The Magazine Man, Rockland, Me. 150-11

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Sunshine Society will meet Monday afternoon at Central Maine rooms. There will be work for Christmas and it is urged that all members attend.

Included among the refreshments at the reception to Grand Patriarch Luke S. Davis was cocoa-cola furnished through the courtesy of Proprietor Donald Hanley of the Hewett Bottling Works.

The Auxiliary to Anderson Camp, S.U.V. will meet Wednesday with cards in the afternoon as well as supper in charge of Mrs. Nellie Achorn, and a Christmas tree at the evening meeting.

Herman Lissok, a former resident of Lake avenue, is very ill in St. Luke's Hospital, Pittsfield, Mass. Rockland friends plan to give him a postcard shower for Christmas. Cards should be addressed as shown above, adding Room 218.

The name of Miss Hazel Marshall was inadvertently omitted from the cast of "The Burglary at Browns." Miss Marshall whose work in amateur productions has won no small attention brought to her small part finished interpretation.

The Maine Central Railroad is reinforcing Maine Central wharf, which will be used during the coming year for docking purposes, by a number of torpedo boat destroyers, sent here for trial. The improvements are being made at an estimated expense of about \$10,000.

The Missionary Society of the Congregational Church will be entertained Wednesday at 3 o'clock by Mrs. Harriet Frost and Mrs. H. B. Pales at the home of Mrs. Frost, 8 Summer street. Mrs. Buffum will present "Christmas Thoughts" and Mrs. Aldana Spear will read a Christmas sermon written by Dr. Farber of New York. There will be special music. All are invited.

Mrs. Oliver R. Hamlin of Old County road came up out of the basement the other day in a state of excitement because of the strange creature she had seen. Large holes in the cellar wall told of the means of entrance and exit, and explained also what had become of apples and vegetables, to say nothing of a large cabbage. Fearful that the cellar stairs might disappear next, Mr. Hamlin set a trap and into it yesterday walked—a large muskrat.

The Republican city committee perfected organization Thursday night with Francis Orne of Ward 3 as chairman and Col. Basil H. Stinson of Ward 4 as secretary and treasurer. Augustus B. Huntley was elected to fill the Ward 7 vacancy caused by the retirement of Carl Nelson. Mr. Orne in his previous connection with the committee has demonstrated his ability as a keen and earnest political worker, and will find abundant opportunity to exercise his talents next year when three elections are held.

Sunday Strand Theatre is being used by Winslow-Hollock Post for its annual food show, and the feature picture will be "The Silk Hat Kid." The Strand's program for the coming week follows: Monday and Tuesday, Kay Francis in "I Found Stella Parish;" Wednesday and Thursday, "It's a Great Life" starring Joe Morrison and Rosalind Keith; Friday and Saturday, "Stars Over Broadway" featuring the reigning favorites of the screen. Out of town folks here for Christmas shopping will find the week's pictures altogether to their liking.

A California car drew up in front of The Courier-Gazette office yesterday forenoon emitting the strangest sound that ever came out of a motor car. It was found that one of the wheels was not turning. A newspaper employee phoned to a nearby garage, and the man from California drove away happy. He said it was his first visit to Maine, and he expressed something akin to amazement to find such mild weather. Dec. 13. His only complaint seemed to be that the atmosphere gave him a strong appetite and that he had gained 12 pounds since coming into the State.

Pales Circle, Ladies of the G.A.R., met Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Mary Rogers and elected these officers: President, Miss Edith Jackson; senior vice president, Mrs. Lora Boynton; junior vice president, Mrs. Florence Young; chaplain, Mrs. Mary Rogers; patriotic instructor, Mrs. Bernice Jackson; treasurer, Mrs. Ella Flye; secretary, Mrs. Susie Lamb; conductor, Mrs. Grace Colson; guard, Mrs. Mary Sistrain; registrar, Mrs. Norah Benner; delegates to the State convention in June, Mrs. Boynton and Mrs. Young. Installation will take place Jan. 8, at the home of Mrs. Susie Lamb with Mrs. Jackson, 27 the Circle will have a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Jackson, Hall street, in the afternoon, with a tree, the Grand Army veterans to be special guests. Capt. H. R. Huntley of Edwin Libby Post G.A.R., was a special guest at the meeting Wednesday.

The annual senior class play will be given at the High School auditorium Thursday and Friday evenings, next week under the direction of Miss Dorothy Parker of the English department, whose ability has been demonstrated in previous presentations embracing plays, one-act plays, public speaking contests, etc. This year "Adam and Eva" has been chosen as the vehicle, a three-act comedy concerning the young business manager who deludes an extravagant family into thinking that their father's business is ruined, and thereby brings out the best there is in them. Charles Merritt and Margaret Dunton have the leading roles, and others in the cast, all admirably fitted for their parts, are, Charles Mitchell, Glenna Rankin, Edward Hayes, Frances Young, Catherine Chisholm, William Anderson, Carl Spear and Robert Chandler. Attend and encourage the young people in their splendid effort which is a part of their daily training under Miss Parker's excellent teaching.

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The Christmas rush has not actually begun at the Postoffice, but Postmaster Veazie reports that business has been good all through the month.

Henry Harriman of Thomaston, charged with drunken driving, pleaded guilty in Judge Dinal's court Thursday and was fined \$100 and costs. He appealed and furnished bail.

Barbara Class held a Christmas social Wednesday evening at the Methodist vestry, attended by 50 members. Singing of carols was led by Parker Worrey, and Mrs. Ruth Ellingsworth told Christmas stories and read Christmas poems in her charming manner. Many articles were brought for the Christmas baskets the Class is to send out. A joke Christmas tree furnished merriment. Miss Madeline Lary, young people's worker, conducted games. Refreshments were served.

The supper given by Pleasant Valley Grange Thursday night for the benefit of the Citizens Civic Committee, Ward 7, brought out sizeable patronage, with praise for the excellent repast. Myron Young, as master of ceremonies, conducted a spirited sale of the remaining food, and also saw to it that a nice warm room was provided for those who wished to remain for beano and cards. Mrs. Florence Young as general chairman was assisted by: Kitchen, Mrs. Mildred Sprague, Mrs. Hazel Bartlett, Mrs. Belle Bowley, Myron Young, Raymond Anderson and Ellis Sprague. Dining room—Mrs. Etta Anderson, Mrs. Ruth Levensaler, Mrs. Susan Spear, Mrs. Alice Fitzgerald, Eunice Morse, Mrs. Alice Fitzgerald. The committee was aided in soliciting by Mrs. C. Maynard Haver and Mrs. P. P. Bicknell, also in many ways by the Ward chairman, Mrs. Charles G. Hewett. An expression of thanks is made to all who helped in any way.

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The first meeting of the Alpha Chapter of the newly organized Alpha Omega Society for young people will take place Sunday at 7 p. m. at the Universalist vestry. All boys and girls of junior and senior High School age are invited to attend the meeting. Interesting plans are afoot.

Pat Beatty of 96 Main street, Fairfield wants information concerning hockey prospects in Rockland this winter. He writes that he is an experienced hockey player and represented the all-Maine team at the A.A.U. play-offs in New York last winter. He also played baseball in the Pine Tree League. Incidentally he would like to know the prospects of getting employment in Rockland.

The local sale of Christmas health seals, is being conducted by the Itoevik Club, Mrs. Leola Flint Noyes, chairman. In 1907 the first Christmas seal sale in the country was instituted and conducted in Dover, Dela., by Miss Emily P. Biesel, a summer resident of Paris Hill, and each year since these cheery little Christmas stickers have made their appearance and been purchased by literally millions of people throughout the country. The money derived from the seals is used in the campaign against tuberculosis. In Maine the Maine Public Health Association and its affiliated organizations are working to overcome the disease. Every seal purchased means an additional penny for such work which includes educational health activities, the employment of public health nurses, assistance in purchasing X-ray films, certain features of school health programs, and the use of the portable X-ray machine. In the local schools direct benefit is received in the way of having tuberculosis tests given the pupils. One does not have to buy the entire lot of seals, although of course this is preferable. If you can't spare the entire sum, buy 25,50, or even ten. It all helps.

Members of Ralph Ulmer Camp and Auxiliary Wednesday sat down to an excellent supper prepared by Mrs. Myra Watts and Mrs. Adah Roberts. Mrs. Nellie Vose and Mrs. Annie Trundy. The camp later elected these officers: Commander, George E. Cross of Thomaston; senior vice commander, Joseph Bennett; junior vice commander, Otis Trundy; adjutant, quartermaster, James McManus of Warren; patriotic instructor, I. Leslie Cross; historian, W. A. Seavey; surgeon, Dr. A. W. Foss; trustee, George Cross; chaplain, John S. Rantlett; officer of the day, W. A. Glover; officer of the guard, M. R. Pillsbury; quartermaster, sergeant, George Miller; senior color bearer, Horace Vose; junior color bearer, W. G. Robbins; musician, A. W. Richards. The Auxiliary, whose election of officers does not come until Jan. 8, was inspected by Mrs. Julia Bennett of Biddeford, department president who was accompanied by these other department officers, Mrs. Margaret Fogg of Portland, senior vice president; Mrs. Alice Delite of Biddeford, judge advocate; Bessie Monner of Biddeford, secretary; Mary Wood of Biddeford, treasurer. Members of Freeman Herick Camp and Auxiliary were special guests. Mrs. Bennett was warm in her expressions of approval. She was presented with a silver cake plate. The Camp and Auxiliary will hold a joint installation on Jan. 8.

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Miriam Rebekah Lodge is to hold a benefit dinner and supper Friday, Dec. 20, with Mrs. Maude Cables as chairman.

Dance lovers will be pleased to learn of a Tuesday night dance at Glen-cove with Eddie Whaler's Privaters providing old and new music.

Rockland High basketballers open their season Tuesday night with Morse High of Bath. There will be games between both first and second teams.

Yesterday's Rotary Club speaker was Howard Davies of Portland discussing current events. A detailed story of his remarks is deferred until Tuesday.

Candidates for city offices are appearing. It is rumored that Robert U. Collins would not object to being tax collector, an office which he ably filled some years ago.

U. S. S. Dale completed her official trials yesterday and returned to the builders' yard in New York. The new torpedo boat destroyers Phelps and Monaghan will be on the Rockland course next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Plourd and Miss Lillian Pelletier of Al's Hairdressing Salon, attended the hairdressers style show at Lafayette Hotel, Portland Tuesday. Mr. Plourd receiving private instruction in hair cutting.

What's in a name? Charles F. Can-nings, district manager for the Lucky Strike cigarette, struck a moose above Belfast yesterday, smashing his car and so badly injuring the moose that Chief Warden Braconry had to kill the animal.

Kora Temple of Lewiston and Anah Temple of Bangor join forces in this city next Monday night when they have a banquet and get-together for the nobles of Knox, Lincoln and Waldo Counties. Supper will be served at 6.

Rockland Lodge of Elks learned Thursday of the death of Fred W. Mathews, in Bedford, Va., where he was an inmate of the Elks Home. Mr. Mathews was a well known hotel clerk, and resided for a number of years in this city. His death was very sudden.

Col. Charles E. Nason of Gray, representing the Department of Maine, G.A.R. was in the city Thursday and after a conference with Mayor Thurston, representatives of the Chamber of Commerce, and Division Commander I. Leslie Cross of the Sons of Union Veterans, announced that the annual Grand Army Encampment would be held in this city June 8, 9 and 10, with Col. Cross as general chairman. The Sons of Union Veterans, the Sons of the American Revolution, the Ladies of the G.A.R., Woman's National Relief Corps, Daughters of Veterans and Auxiliary to the Sons of Union Veterans will also hold their State conventions here at the time.

Members of Ruth Mayhew Tent, D.U.V. of Civil War and guests are promised an especially pleasing program Monday night preceding the regular meeting in G.A.R. hall, the occasion being the 50th anniversary of the organization, under the guidance of Major William McKinley, then Congressman, later President of the United States. The entertainment is open to the public and consists of such artists as George Wong and his famous dog, pupils of Mrs. Corner, George Huntley, Nathalie Edwards, with Mrs. Ida V. Huntley at the piano, Miss Harvey trumpet, and a surprise reader, Mrs. Eliza Plummer is chairman of the occasion. No admission.

Golden Rod Chapter, O.E.S., held its annual inspection last evening with more than 250 at supper, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Matie Spaulding, and which received high praise from the worthy grand matron, Mrs. Eunice Larrabee of Belfast. While assembling at supper Mrs. Vivian Hewett sang "Silent Night." Mrs. Hester Chase, in charge of the striking decorations reflecting the holiday season. Features were a large star with the emblematic points in their respective colors by electric light, lighted wreaths in the windows and evergreen trees banking the stage. Other honor guests were Mrs. Gertrude Morrow of Camden, grand chaplain; Mrs. Ada Rollins, grand, Esther; Mrs. Carrie Smith of Warren, visiting deputy grand matron, and Mrs. Winifred Gayden, Camden, past district deputy grand matron. Many Chapters were represented in the assembly. There was one candidate and the work of the Chapter received warm commendation from Mrs. Larrabee and her inspection. Mrs. Evelyn White and S. T. Constantine gave vocal solos in a brief entertainment program.

**GEORGE A. JUDKINS**  
Funeral services for George A. Judkins who died Dec. 5 were held Sunday at the First Baptist Church of which he was a member. Rev. J. Charles MacDonald officiated. Interment was in Fairview cemetery. Warren, beside his wife who died in December of last year.  
Jan. 15, 1886, son of the late Ruel B. Judkins was born in Deer Isle and Abbie (Allen) Judkins. He had lived in Rockland for the last 20 years, having been employed for about 15 years by Arthur Shea Co. his services highly valued. He is survived by a daughter Dorothy M. Lowell; a granddaughter, Nellie P. Lowell of Rockland; and two brothers, Harry C. and Raymond P. Judkins of Stonington.

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SERMONETTE

**God's Purposes—IV.**  
Men are moved by mystic forces inexplainable by cold reason. Cornelius saw the angel, and like the woman at the tomb was sore afraid. The angel presence said, "because of thy prayers God sent me." "Now send men to Joppa and call for one Simon whose surname is Peter; he lodgeth with another Simon, a tanner, whose house is by the seaside; he shall tell thee what thou oughtest to do." When he had finished with his message and the certain directions, the angel departed and Cornelius was alone.  
Cornelius was a Roman centurion, trained to act in emergency promptly. He now called two of his household and a devout soldier out of them who waited upon him continually.  
First, he declared all these things unto them that they might fully understand the reason for their journey, and then he sent them to Joppa forthwith. On the morrow, the narrative tells us, as these men went on their journey and drew high unto the city, a strange thing happened to Simon Peter.  
Simon the disciple of Christ was a "hard boiled" Jew, we would say today, obedient to Jewish tradition and scrupulous in observance of Jewish ceremonial. He was to feel the same mystic force that moved Cornelius.  
William A. Holman

The services at Holman Memorial Chapel will be conducted on Sunday by Alfred Young and Ansel Young at 2.30.

"Why Worry About Missions?" will be Mr. Olds' subject at the Congregational Church tomorrow morning. The Berean Class of adults will meet at 11.45, and the discussion will be on "Morals and Moral Freedom." Grades of the Way will meet at 6.30 and after the devotional meeting preparation will be made for Christmas. Sunday School will meet at 9.30.

At First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner of Cedar and Brewster streets, Sunday services are at 10.30 and the subject of the Lesson-Sermon tomorrow will be "God the Preserver of Man." Sunday School is at 11.45. Wednesday evening testimony meeting is at 7.30. The reading room is located at 403 Main street, and open week days from 2 until 5 p. m.

"The Christ of Experience" will be the Sunday morning sermon topic of Rev. Charles E. Brooks at the Pratt Memorial Methodist Church. The Friendly Men's Bible Class will meet at 9.30; Baraca Class and the church school at noon and Epworth League at 6.15. Evening worship is at 7.15 when the pastor's evening topic will be "Making Christ Our Christmas Guest."

The subject of the sermon at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning will be "Christmas In Prophecy." The church school with classes for all ages will meet at noon and the Endeavor's Inspiration Hour will be held at 6 o'clock with Virginia Egan as the leader and the topic "Putting Christ Into Christmas." The people's evening service will open at 7.15 with the prelude and big sing. Mr. MacDonald's subject will be "The Cost of Not Being a Christian."

At the Littlefield Memorial Church Sunday morning at 10.30 Rev. Charles Marshall's theme will be "An Unanticipated Reaction." There will be a sermonette for the children, Church School will meet at 11.45, senior and Intermediate Christian Endeavor at 6; praise service at 7.15. The theme will be "Regaining Consciousness." Prayer meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30. The Ladies' Aid will meet in the vestry Wednesday evening for a tacking and Christmas tree and the Woman's Missionary Society will meet Thursday afternoon with Miss Mabel Seavey.

Rev. John Smith Lowe D.D. at the Universalist Church at 10.45 will have as his topic "Things are Shaping." The quartet will sing "Sing Unto the Lord." Scott and "They That Trust In the Lord."



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**UNION**

Bethel Rebekah Lodge will present the three-act comedy, "Aunt Jerushy on the War-path" at 8 p. m. Monday at the Town Hall. The play is being coached by Mrs. Carl Mitchell of the High School faculty, and the proceeds will help defray the expense of re-decorating the lodge rooms. The cast of characters is: Linwood Carroll as Sufficiency Fish; Arthur Farris, Elder Snuffels; Ralph Williams, Hiram Fish; Mrs. Helen Cummings, Little Mrs. Frances Lucas, Aunt Jerushy

Briggs Church School comes at noon, also Knickerbocker Class of men. Mrs. Glover's women's class meets at her home. At 7 p. m. the first meeting of the Alpha Chapter of the newly organized Alpha Omega Society will take place in the vestry. Chapin Class Tuesday evening with Miss Gladys Blethen; circle supper Wednesday at 6.

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## A MERRY CHRISTMAS

By Carrie J. Williams, Central Maine Power Co., Home Service Department.



It's the spirit of Christmas as well as the symbol of Christmas which makes us tingle with joy and happiness at this time of year. The desire to spread good cheer and so satisfying and gratifying is this spirit of good will that we gladly let the Christmas season occupy at least one whole month out of the year.

To be a bit different in the way of decoration this year of the Christmas tree, adopt a blue and silver color scheme. Blue electric lights strung among silver bunnies and icicle boughs give a stunning and delightful effect. And then too, I think the old custom of burning a candle in each window of your home on Christmas eve is very lovely.

Attractive boxes of home-made cookies, candies, cellophane wrapped jars of pebbles and jams, fruitcakes and plum puddings make ideal Christmas presents and here are some recipes for such Christmas gifts.

## Festive Fruit Cake

Two cups flour, 1/2 cup butter, 1 cup sugar, 1 egg 1/2 cup sour milk, 1 tsp. soda, salt, 1/4 tsp each cinnamon, cloves, allspice, ginger, 1 cup raisins, 1 cup citron, orange peel dates, nuts, figs or anything you have, 1 tsp each lemon, vanilla, orange. Bake one hour at 350 in loaf tin.

## Christmas Plum Pudding

One-fourth lb. suet chopped, 1 1/2 cups brown sugar, 1/2 cup milk 2 eggs well beaten, 1 cup seedless raisins, 1 cup currants, one-third cup sliced preserved orange peel, one-third cup sliced preserved lemon peel, one-third cup sliced citron, 1/4 cup chopped almonds, 1 cup flour, 1 tsp baking soda, 1 tsp salt, 1/2 tsp nutmeg, 1 tsp cinnamon, 1/4 tsp mace, 1 cup stale bread crumbs.

Mix together the suet, brown sugar and milk, add eggs. Mix the fruit, peels and nuts with 1/4 cup of the flour. Mix and sift the remaining flour with salt, soda and spices. Add the fruit mixture, crumbs and flour mixture. Mix well and turn into a greased 1 1/2 quart mold. Cover and steam 2 1/2 hrs. Serve with any desired sauce. Serves 6-8.

## Peanut Butter Cookies

One-half cup butter, 1 egg beaten, 1/4 cup cream tartar, two-thirds cup brown sugar, 1 cup sifted flour, one-third cup chopped peanut meats. Cream butter, add brown sugar and blend well. Add egg and mix well. Sift flour with cream tartar and add with nuts to butter mixture. Drop by teaspoonfuls on greased baking sheet. Bake in 400 oven 12-15 minutes. Remove while hot, cool, pack in tight tins.

## Peanut Butter Cookies

One-half cup sugar, 2 tbsp butter, 1 egg, 1 tsp cream tartar, 1/2 tsp soda, 6 tsp milk, 1 cup flour, 1/2 cup peanut butter. Cream butter with sugar, add beaten egg. Dissolve cream tartar and soda in milk. Add together with flour salt which has been sifted together. Add peanut butter. Decorate with chopped maraschino cherries. Drop by spoonfuls on greased baking sheet. Bake in 400 oven about 12-15 minutes.

## Date Hermit

Three one-half cup flour, 1 tsp cream tartar, 1 tsp salt, 1 tsp soda, 1/2 cup butter, 2 cups brown sugar, 1 egg, 3 tsp hot milk, 1 tsp vanilla, 1 cup chopped nuts, 1 cup chopped dates. Sift dry ingredients together. Cream butter with sugar. Add beaten egg. Add dry ingredients, alternate with milk. Add vanilla, nuts and dates. Mould in a roll, wrap in paper and chill. Cut slices and bake in 400 oven.

## Nut Caramel

One and one-half cup broken nuts (toasted almonds, walnuts, pecans, Brazil nuts), 1 lb brown sugar, 1 1/2 cup light cream syrup, 1/4 tsp salt, 1 1/2 cup light cream 1/4 cup butter, 1 tsp almond extract. Mix together sugar, cream syrup, salt cream and butter. Cook over low heat and stir constantly to avoid scorching. When temperature of mixture reaches 244 remove from fire, add nuts and almond extract, pour into a thoroughly oiled pan. Allow to cool 2-3 hours, until firm but not hard. Loosen candy from pan with spatula and invert upon a wooden board. Slice thin and roll each slice or cut into squares and wrap with fancy waxed paper.

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## AT CASTINE NORMAL

Friday afternoon, Principal Hall, Vice-Principal Erno Scott and Critic Teacher Edna Harquail, grades 7-8, spoke before an institute of teachers from the Bluehill district at the Bluehill Academy building. The general theme of the conference centered around "Guidance." Supt. Carl J. Hedin of the Bangor State Hospital also addressed the general assembly on "Educational Guidance of Nervous Boys and Girls." Other speakers from the alumni body were Miss Ella Condon '21 and Miss Eulalie Bridges '29.

Ruth Dority '19 has recently communicated to the school office that she is now employed in the town of Newton, Mass., engaged in departmental teaching of Music and Reading, and taking work at Boston University.

Orest Robinson and Miss Helen Gilman, together with five students, visited the High Schools in Belfast, Brooks, Searsport and Stockton on Friday. A feature of the traveling program has been the presentation of a one-act play-comedy that has proved to be very popular with the various student bodies.

Dorothy Dimick is now teaching in the first and second grades of the training school. Philip Robbins of Belfast is in grades three and four.

Grades one to four are planning an exhibition of work done by the pupils in preparation of Christmas gifts without cost during the coming week.

Dec. 18 the Boys Glee Club sponsors a unique child's pageant for the benefit of the Junior Red Cross. The various sections of the program have been assigned by Director Ethel Wardwell to the individual boys and daily rehearsals with the little people are in progress.

Chairman Clara Hamlin of Newburg passed out chance slips to the students and faculty on Monday morning, announcing the annual school Christmas party on Thursday, Dec. 19, in the school gym. Ten cent gifts for everyone in school are to be brought, and a genuine Santa will be in evidence.

Everett Nason, faculty sponsor, entertained the boys' fraternity on Thursday evening at their bi-weekly meeting. Meeting at his home, the committee consisting of Byron Eaton and Harry Smith presented an hour's program on "Mathematics." Prin. Hall and John Roberts of Belfast were high scorers in the math puzzlers that came after the formal program had been presented.

The Christian Association is making an intensive study of the life of Moses at its regular Tuesday meetings.

Mrs. Orest Robinson has returned from Massachusetts, where she spent a few vacation weeks.

## SEARSMONT

Community Church Notes  
Morning worship Sunday will be at 10:30; church school, 11:45; Epworth League at 6, with leader, Byron Sweetland; choir rehearsal, 7:45 p. m.

The church school will hold a special Christmas service and social Dec. 20, and on the program will be a tableau, short play and music by the choir under the leadership of Mrs. Bvers of North Searsmont. Santa Claus will be present and everyone is required to assist him by taking a ten-cent gift. There will also be opportunity to present unperishable articles of food which will later be distributed to the needy in town.

The Ladies Aid held its annual Christmas sale Monday night at the Grange hall, and despite inclement weather, realized a good profit and provided a fine time for all who attended. Much credit for the success of this event rightly goes to Rev. C. L. Peaslee of Belfast and the group of young people from his church who furnished an excellent program of music and readings. On the food sale committee were Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Howes; fancy table, Mrs. Flora Dunton, Francella Moody; candy table, Mrs. Adelle Templeton, Mrs. Mabel Cobb; grab bag, Jennie Caswell and Bertha Cushman.

## THE STARS

[For The Courier-Gazette]  
The frosty stars twinkle tonight. Above the city's garish light. They beam a trail through distant space. And seem to move with stately grace. Some are in paths of jeweled hue. Some softly burn in heaven's blue. In the empyrean night they shine Above the dark horizon line.

Astronomers of old could read Within the stars a newer creed—The future seemed an open book. Into the past would wisely look. All present plans could plainly see—These men that were more wise than we. I can not read, though nothing bars. My future fate within the stars.

Astronomers the stars have named Where each is placed, for what each fared. How far from earth they whirl in space Above the homes of human race. They watch with fear the comet speed. In fiery path disaster lead. While foolish I admire the stars. And not a fear my pleasure bars.

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## STRAND SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY



Kay Francis, starting in "I Found Stella Parrish," the swellest romance in years. Kay is supported by Ian Hunter and Paul Lukas—adv.

## VINALHAVEN

The Mother and Daughter Club will meet Tuesday night with Miss Muriel Chilles. A Christmas tree will be featured.

The Seven Little Tailors met Thursday night with A. A. Peterson. Reuben Carver is in Rockland for the winter.

Miss Edith Nickerson returned Friday from North Haven for a two weeks' vacation.

The American Legion held its meeting and Christmas tree Thursday at The Shoe.

Mrs. Mercedes Calderwood and Miss Hazel Marden of North Haven were guests the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Langtry Smith.

The Washington Club meets today for afternoon and evening sessions with Mrs. Annie Benner.

Mrs. Susan Hopkins is in Boston where she will make her winter home. Mrs. Edith Vinall is spending the holidays in Medford, Mass., as guest of Mrs. Mary Daniels.

Mrs. A. A. Peterson and Mrs. A. M. Cassie visited Wednesday in Rockland.

Mrs. F. M. White and Mrs. H. W. Pifford were Rockland visitors Friday.

Mrs. Merritt Lensef is in Thomaston with relatives.

Dancing at Town Hall Saturday night with Staffy's Orchestra.

Mrs. Benjamin Martin and daughter were in Rockland last Tuesday on a visit.

Mrs. Ola Ames entertained the Neighborhood Club Monday night.

## Addie Bucklin

Addie, wife of L. H. Bucklin of this town, died Monday night at her home on Mountain street, after a brief illness. Mrs. Bucklin whose age was 65, was a devoted and faithful worker of Pleasant River Grange of which she was a charter member. She was also an active and valued member of Ocean Bound Rebekah Lodge and of the Ladies of the G.A.R. Deceased is survived by her husband; one son, Austin Bucklin of New Jersey; several grandchildren; also a sister Mrs. Simmons of Rockland.

Funeral services were held Wednesday in Union Church, Elder E. F. Robertson of the Latter Day Saints Church officiating. Bearers were Curtis Webster, C. Meserve, F. Ames, E. A. Smalley and Herbert Cassie. There were beautiful floral tributes from neighbors, friends and relatives. The remains, accompanied by undertaker W. Y. Fossett were taken Wednesday to Rockland for burial in Acorn cemetery. Those from out of town who attended the service were Mr. and Mrs. George Bucklin of Westbrook.

## Corra M. Hopkins

The death of Corra Margaret, widow of Joseph Hopkins of this town, occurred Dec. 6 in Hallowell where she made her home with her son Charles Hopkins. Mrs. Hopkins, 74, was born in Hebron but was a resident here for many years. She was a member of the local Ladies of the G.A.R.

The remains, accompanied by her granddaughter Doris Hopkins of this town and her son Charles of Hallowell, were brought here Tuesday for burial in the family lot in John Carver cemetery, which took place on the arrival of the boat from Rockland. Rev. John Whittington officiating at the committal service. There were many beautiful floral tributes. The bearers were Malcolm Hopkins, Charles Webster, Burton Vinal and Herbert Mills.

Deceased is survived by two sons, Charles of Hallowell, Leon of Boston; and one daughter Mrs. Cora H. Shaw of Seabrook, N. H.; seven grandchildren; four great grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs. Alta Cottrell of Hallowell.

Dr. Thurlow will be at Dr. Stratton's Vinhaven office from the arrival of the boat Monday afternoon, Dec. 16 until its departure Wednesday morning—adv.

## APPLETON RIDGE

Mrs. Evelyn Pitman, Mrs. Grace Brown and Mrs. Ada Proctor were among those attending the recent Rebekah Circle at Mrs. Adella Guishe's. The Willing Workers held a successful entertainment and sale Wednesday evening at the Grange hall. A two-act play with ten characters was presented in a fine manner.

Mrs. Ada Proctor and son Ira were recent Rockland visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Artist Pease of Rockland, were recent callers on C. F. Newbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Urban Trask of Camden and Mrs. Lottie Wentworth were visitors Sunday afternoon at William Newbert's.

## THORNDIKEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Ettlinger have returned to Staten Island after spending the past season here. Their son Fred came by bus to accompany them home.

Mr. Van Syckle has moved from Belfast to make his home for the winter with his daughter Mrs. Harry Pugh.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lethrop and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Merrill were in Augusta Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cotton have moved from Hosmer Pond road, Camden, to the home of their daughter Mrs. Ada Upham where they will remain for the coming months.

Linley Merrill has moved from his farm to his winter home in this place. Fred Paige and nephew Howard Neville, of Bluehill were guests of Lester Merrill during the moose hunting season.

Stephen Gillette is improving from an operation which he recently underwent in a Boston hospital. He is expected to return home in ten days.

Mrs. John Pugh and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Mills were recent business callers in Augusta and Waterville.

Mrs. Abbie Merrill and Myrven Merrill are in Bluehill for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lethrop had as callers Sunday their children Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Bogle of East Union and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Croteau.

Mrs. Sydney Crabtree and Virginia Dunbar were visitors Tuesday at the home of Clifford Taylor in Camden and attended the theatre in Rockland in the evening.

## GLENCOVE

Hubert Small, James Small, George Small and Miss Jennie Small, all of Auburn were here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Georgia Small.

Mrs. Ervin Murch is a patient at the Knox Hospital.

Mrs. David Burns and Carl Eaton were in Eastport last Sunday to visit Mr. Burns.

Newly Elected Grange Officers  
Penobscot View Grange held its annual election of officers Thursday night after a supper in charge of Mrs. Flora Maxcy and Mrs. Margaret Maxcy.

The leaders chosen were: Lloyd Richardson, master; Norman Crockett, overseer; Minnie Miles, lecturer; C. L. Gregory, steward; W. K. Clinton, assistant steward; Lizzie Morton, chaplain; Golden Munro, treasurer; Helen Merry, secretary; Leroy Williams, gate keeper; Lizzie Gregory, crier; Lizzie Smith, Potomac Clinton, lady assistant steward; C. E. Gregory, member executive committee for three years.

This meeting was possessed of exceptional interest, as the Master gave a report of the State Grange session, and much business was transacted. Among accomplishments the past year, the hall has been shingled; a new stove added; between \$50 and \$60 netted from the fair; and all bills paid with a substantial balance remaining in the treasury. Thus, Penobscot View enters another year of prospective success, with high hopes and courage.

## ROCKVILLE

George Hall spent last weekend at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vesper Hall. He is in a Lewiston CCC Camp.

Willis Clough is seriously ill at his home here.

Mrs. Ida Barrows has been confined to the house this week with a severe cold and cough.

Mrs. D. A. Sherer recently spent the day with Mrs. C. W. Blackington at Rockland Highlands.

Ethel Hall accompanied the Rockport girls' basketball team to Portland last Saturday.

Miss Fernie Whitney has resumed her teaching here and preparation is being made for a Christmas tree and entertainment by the children of the village and school, to be held Thursday night in the church.

## SWAN'S ISLAND

A public dinner and supper were served recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland J. Trask for the benefit of the Methodist Church.

Max Ames of Rockland is guest of relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Roscoe Kent is in Rockland with her daughter Carolyn, who underwent a tonsil operation.

Mrs. Helen Parker has sold her household goods and will spend the winter with relatives in Portland.

Mrs. Adelbert Bridges went Saturday to Rockland where she will receive medical treatment.

## LIGHTS MAKE 'EM LAY

But Do All Poultrymen Know How To Use Lights the Best?

"Most poultrymen know how to use electric lights for poultry and clearly recognize their importance in increasing production during the fall and winter months," says H. L. Richardson, Extension Service poultry specialist. "However, observation leads me to believe that too few are familiar with what constitutes correct installation that gives proper distribution of light throughout the pen."

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"Likewise, installations with reflectors of the wrong size and shape, result in intensifying the light in certain portions of the pen, but leave the drooping boards and a part of the floor in semi-darkness. The light should shine to the back of the drooping board as this induces the birds to leave the roosts for feeding."

"Studies at the Ohio Experiment Station conducted a number of years ago indicate that a reflector 16 inches in diameter and 4 inches high from the base to the crown gives the best results. With a reflector of this type, hung at the proper height, the correct distribution of light is secured. The light shines on the entire floor with nearly equal intensity as well as on the drooping board."

"Unless the poultry house is more than 20 or 24 feet deep, one row of lights will be sufficient. If pens are too deep for one row of lights, two rows should be installed. Two or more lights in each pen are desirable to help eliminate shadows."

"One watt for every five square feet of floor space is a good rule to follow. For example, two 40-watt lamps are sufficient for a 20 by 20 pen. Where one row of lights is way between the front of the house and the front edge of the drooping boards. Where two rows of lights are necessary, they should, of course, be so placed as to give as nearly equal distribution of light as is possible."

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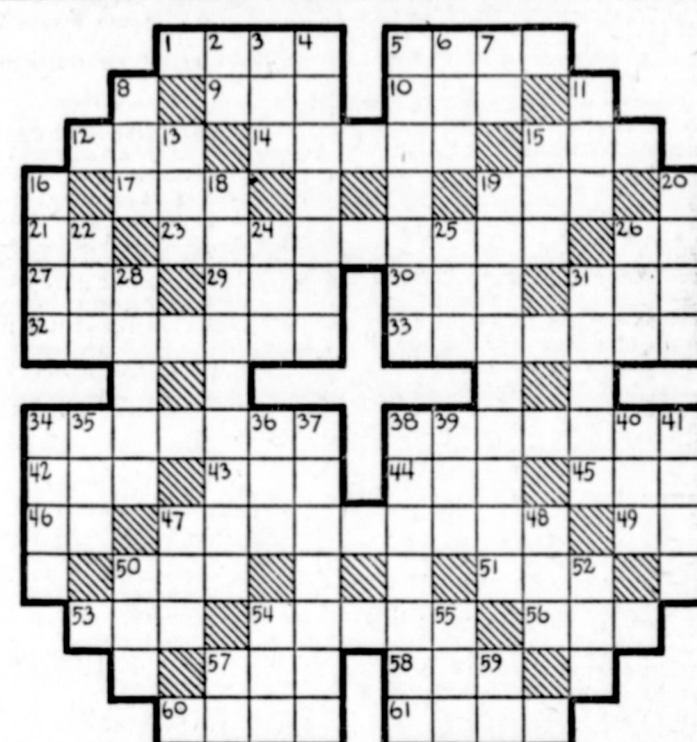
## AT PARK THEATRE MONDAY-TUESDAY



Heather Angel, Richard Waring, Frank Morgan in "The Perfect Gentleman"

Son and potential daughter-in-law get a fatherly blessing from Frank Morgan in this scene from "A Perfect Gentleman." Morgan is co-starring with London's riotous Cecily Courtneidge in the rollicking tale of a bluffing English major and a music hall star—adv.

## COURIER-GAZETTE CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



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| <b>HORIZONTAL</b>    | <b>HORIZONTAL (Cont.)</b>                 | <b>VERTICAL (Cont.)</b> |
| 1-A quail            | 47-Extinction of civil rights (Eng., Law) | 16-Vault                |
| 5-Crack, as the skin | 49-Pronoun                                | 18-Directs anew         |
| 9-Look               | 50-Advertisements                         | 19-Made right           |
| 10-Permit            | 34-Poet                                   | 20-Existed              |
| 12-Knock             | 51-Put on                                 | 22-Feminine suffix      |
| 14-A singing voice   | 53-Cover                                  | 24-Taste                |
| 15-Banter            | 54-Rate of motion                         | 25-Range                |
| 17-Sailor            | 56-Summit                                 | 26-Large                |
| 19-Study with care   | 57-Blind                                  | 28-Rogue                |
| 21-Six               | 58-Measure of length                      | 31-Breathe noisily      |
| 23-Act of abandoning | 60-Pool                                   | 32-when asleep          |
| 25-A naval officer   | 61-Cease                                  | 34-Peaks                |
| 27-A prefix          |   | 35-Sick                 |
| 29-Pref. Asunder     | <b>VERTICAL</b>                           | 36-Perched              |
| 30-Make a mistake    | 2-Exists                                  | 37-Snared               |
| 31-A title           | 3-Series                                  | 38-Rovers               |
| 32-A recipe          | 4-E. arsest                               | 39-Terminate            |
| 33-Craze             | 5-Consumed                                | 40-Period of time       |
| 34-Poet              | 6-Pronoun                                 | 41-Part of a plant      |
| 35-Accounts          | 7-Near by                                 | 42-Sum up               |
| 42-A lofty mountain  | 8-Large cask                              | 48-Decay                |
| 44-Vehicle           | 11-Goal container                         | 50-Aspiration           |
| 45-Emmet             | 13-Tablet                                 | 52-Likewise not         |
| 46-A dry measure     | 15-Gained                                 | 54-Wrong                |
|                      |   | 55-Speak                |
|                      |   | 57-Preposition          |
|                      |   | 59-Act                  |

(Solution to previous puzzle)

## MINTURN

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Vennie and daughter have returned from a trip to Stonington.

Miss Louise Stockbridge is passing a vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Stockbridge in Atlantic.

Mrs. Phyllis Staples of



Probate Notices

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Rockland, Maine, on the 11th day of December, 1935, the 19th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-five, and by agreement of the parties to said estates, the following matters have been presented for the action thereon heretofore indicated. It is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in The Courier-Gazette, a newspaper published at Rockland in said County that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Rockland, on the 17th day of December, A. D. 1935, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

**R. ANSON CRIE**, late of Rockland, deceased. Will and Petition for Probate thereof, asking that the same may be proved and allowed and that Letters Testamentary issue to **Kelley E. Crie** of Rockland, he being the Executor named in said Will, without bond.

**ROSS R. VINAL**, late of Rockland, deceased. Will and Petition for Probate thereof, asking that the same may be proved and allowed and that Letters Testamentary issue to **Clara Babb** of Rockland, she being the Executrix named in said Will, without bond.

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**ESTATE DANIEL STEWART**, late of Thomaston, deceased. Petition for Administration, asking that John J. Keegan, of Bath, or some other suitable person be appointed Adm., without bond.

**SPOFFORD J. CRAWFORD**, late of Thomaston, deceased. Petition for Administration, asking that John J. Keegan, of Bath, or some other suitable person be appointed Adm., without bond.

**ESTATE ANNIE B. BROWN**, late of Friendship, deceased. Petition for Administration, asking that John J. Keegan, of Bath, or some other suitable person be appointed Adm., without bond.

**ESTATE FRED H. BERRY**, late of Rockland, deceased. Eighth account filed for allowance by **John S. Berry**, of Rockland, Trustee.

**ESTATE S. MARION HECKING**, late of Buffalo, New York, deceased. First and final account filed for allowance by **Robinson Verrill**, of Rockland, Trustee.

**ESTATE HENRY LEROY FARRIS**, late of Maine, deceased. First and final account filed for allowance by **Ralph W. Farris**, Adm.

**ESTATE JAMES A. SMITH**, late of Thomaston, deceased. First and final account filed for allowance by **Lottie A. Smith**, Exx.

**ESTATE NELLIE A. KNOWLTON**, late of Camden, deceased. Second account filed for allowance by **John A. Cunningham** and **Joseph Emery**, Executors.

**ESTATE CLARA A. MACDOWELL**, late of Washington, deceased. First and final account filed for allowance by **Mabel R. Mathews** and **Maude E. Mathews**, Executors.

**ESTATE WILDER W. PERRY**, late of Camden, deceased. Final account filed for allowance by **Mildred P. Putnam** and **Charles A. Perry**, Exs.

**ESTATE S. MARION HECKING**, late of Buffalo, New York, deceased. Petition for Distribution presented by **Robinson Verrill**, of Rockland, Adm.

**ESTATE JENNIE MILLER**, of Union, deceased. Will and Petition for Probate thereof, asking that the same may be proved and allowed and that Letters of Administration with the will annexed be issued to **Herbert L. Grinnell** of Union, or some other suitable person, without bond.

**ESTATE WALTER WHEELER**, late of Rockport, deceased. Petition for License to Sell certain Real Estate, situated in said Rockport, and fully described in said Petition, presented by **Myrtle Wheeler**, Adm.

**ESTATE MERLIE L. SIMPSON**, of Rockland, deceased. First account filed for allowance by **Elisha W. Pike**, of Rockland, Gdn.

**ESTATE H. W. FIFIELD**, late of Vinalhaven, deceased. First account filed for allowance by **Ambrose A. Peterson** & **Doris F. Shinton**, Trustees.

**ESTATE ALTON T. RUSSELL**, late of Rockport, deceased. Petition for Administration, asking that **Olivia Carroll** of Rockport, or some other suitable person be appointed Adm., with bond.

**ESTATE FREDERICK A. RIPLEY**, late of Hope, deceased. First account filed for allowance by **Frank H. Ingraham**, of Rockland, Trustee.

**ESTATE MARION J. EVANSKY**, late of Rockland, deceased. Petition for Allowance, presented by **Kate F. Evansky**, of Rockland, widow.

**ESTATE ANGUS MCRAE**, late of Rockland, deceased. Petition for License to Sell certain Real Estate, situated in Tremont, in the County of Hancock, and fully described in said Petition, presented by **Stella M. McRae** of Rockland, Adm.

**ESTATE ANGUS MCRAE**, late of Rockland, deceased. Petition for Distribution presented by **Stella M. McRae** of Rockland, Adm.

Witness, **MELZER T. CRAWFORD**, Esquire, Judge of Probate Court for Knox County, Rockland, Maine.

Attest: **CHARLES L. VEAZIE**, Register. 144-8-150

**DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, DISTRICT OF MAINE** (Southern Division) In the Matter of **FULLER-COBB**, DAVIS, Debtor.

In Proceedings for the Reorganization of a Corporation, No. 19871. ORDER OF NOTICE ON FINAL REPORT AND ACCOUNT OF TRUSTEES.

The Trustees in the above entitled matter having presented their final report and accounting with vouchers, their petition asking that the same be allowed and that the said Trustee be discharged and their bond cancelled, it is hereby

ORDERED, that a hearing be had at the Federal Courtroom in Portland, on December 20, 1935, at twelve o'clock noon, at which time and place cause, any, should be presented why said petition and account should not be allowed and approved, and that notice of said hearing be given by the Trustees by publishing a copy of this Order twice in the Rockland Courier-Gazette, the last publication being at least four days before said 20th day of December, 1935.

**JOHN A. PETERS**, Judge, U. S. District Court this 9th day of December, 1935. 149-150

Notices of Appointment

**I. Charles L. Veazie**, Register of Probate for the County of Knox, in the State of Maine, hereby certify that in the following estates the persons hereinafter named are appointed Administrators, Executors, Guardians and Conservators and on the date hereinafter named:

**JULIA A. ALLEY**, late of Tenants Harbor, deceased. **Earl W. Wall** of Wakefield, Mass., was appointed Adm., November 19, 1935, without bond. **Mond Haskell** of Rockland was appointed Agt in Maine.

**INEZ L. VARNEY**, late of Rockport, deceased. **Aida M. Merrifield** of Rockport was appointed Adm., November 19, 1935, and qualified by filing bond, on same date.

**ROY J. LABRANCHE**, late of Rockland, deceased. **Helen E. Labranche** of Rockland was appointed Adm., November 19, 1935, without bond.

**MARION J. EVANSKY**, otherwise **Joseph Evansky**, late of Rockland, deceased. **Kate F. Evansky** of Rockland was appointed Adm., November 19, 1935, without bond.

**FANNIE E. WOTTON**, late of Rockland, deceased. **Ira W. Wotton** of Rockland was appointed Adm., November 19, 1935, without bond.

**BERTHA P. SMILEY**, late of Rockland, deceased. **David O. Smiley**, Sr. was appointed executor November 19, 1935, without bond.

**FRED N. MARK**, late of Warren, deceased. **Albert C. Mark** of Round Pond was appointed executor November 19, 1935, without bond.

**NELLIE F. VINAL**, late of Thomaston, deceased. **Alma Erickson** of Vinalhaven was appointed executor November 19, 1935, without bond.

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**LILLA A. MUNRO**, late of Rockland, deceased. **Daniel Munro** of Rockland was appointed executor November 19, 1935, without bond.

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With the Extension Agents  
— And The —  
Knox Lincoln Farm Bureau

**Poultry in storage on Nov. 1** was considerably less than last year, being 53 million pounds compared to 73 million last year and about eight million pounds less than the five-year average. The amount being received at the principal markets is also less than last year. . . . .

**Edgar Smith** of North Edgcomb, has made several improvements in his poultry plant during the past few months. He has just completed a new 24x50 double-deck brooder house in which he plans to install a Mammoth brooder. He has installed a 32000 egg incubator which, together with a special hatcher, makes his total capacity 38000. This is the second largest incubator in the state. . . . .

**Poultry accounts summarized by the Extension Service** are showing a much better labor income than last year. Since the last reports, the following men have sent in accounts: E. C. Hunt, Damariscotta Mills; Harry Wolcott, Camden; Norris Walz, Damariscotta; H. P. Lilly, Dresden; F. M. Payson, Hope; Daniel Andrews, West Rockport; R. P. Conant, Rockland; Frank Walz, Waldoboro. A total of 33 poultry accounts has been sent in by poultrymen of the county. . . . .

**Farmers who are planning to plant** potatoes next year should get in touch with County Agent Wentworth. There will be 25 meetings held in the county beginning in December and continuing through January. At these meetings the potato bill will be explained and assistance given in making out applications. . . . .

**So be sure to attend the meeting** which is the most convenient for you. Circulars on the potato bill are available at the Extension Office, Rockland. Call for Potato Leaflet, No. 1. . . . .

**With The Homes** Miss Edna M. Cobb, State home management specialist, announced at the Farm Family Living meetings held last week at Burketville and at South Thomaston, that, "The purchasing power for the farm family will be somewhat better for 1936." Continuing she said, "Since farm equipment may need to be replaced as well as the family maintenance, there will be need for carefully thought out discussions as to whether the farm business or the home or both will share in the use of any additional cash available." . . . . .

**At the Burketville Planning Meeting** these officers and project leaders were elected: Chairman, Mrs. Gladys Linscott; Secretary, Mrs. Carolyn Leigh; Clothing, Mrs. Nettie Grinnell; Foods, Mrs. Florence Calderwood; and Assistant Foods, Mrs. Mattie Light; Home Management, Mrs. Abbie Pomroy; Treasurer, Mrs. Cora Maddocks. . . . .

**South Thomaston elected these** leaders for 1936: Chairman, Mrs. Ruby Makinen; Secretary, Mrs. Madeline Maloney; Clothing, Mrs. B. Aylward; Foods, Mrs. Carolyn Davis; Home Management, Mrs. Annie Dennison; Librarian, Mrs. Helen Rackliff. . . . .

**The following communities will** hold half-day planning meetings beginning at 1 o'clock with a Square Meal, served at noon: Union, Dec. 17 at Mrs. Maude Calderwood's Home; Rockland, Wednesday, December 18 at the Mountain View Hall with Mrs. Mattie Gardner as chairman; Mrs. Ethel Cannon and Mrs. Alice Wyllie are on the committee for the dinner; Appleton, Thursday, Dec. 19 at the Grange hall with Mrs. Alice Hall as the leader in charge of the meeting. East Union will have an all-day meeting beginning at 10-30. A Christmas dinner will be served by Mrs. Emily Pushaw and Mrs. Lura Norwood. Miss Lawrence, Home Demonstration Agent, will talk on "Farm Family Living" in the morning. In the afternoon the program of work will be planned. An interesting feature looked forward to each year is the Christmas Tree. . . . .

**4-H Club Notes** Sunshine Seven 4-H Club of Nobleboro is the first club to hold both a preliminary and a final judging contest toward the 1936 club year. The final judging was held December 14 at the home of Mrs. Ruth French, local leader. Both hommed towels and cup cakes were judged by the girls. Beatrice Sidelinger is the judging champion in the sewing project and Eileen French in the cooking and housekeeping project. An early club tour has already been scheduled. . . . .

**Nineteen clubs reorganized for 1936**, have held one or more meetings, sent in a program of work and at least five cards by Dec. 9, so will be awarded a free gavel to be used for conducting better 4-H business meetings. The clubs are: Wide Awake 4-H Bristol; Helpful Handy Home Husters, South Bristol; Lively Little Ladies, South Bristol; Happy Home Handy Helpers, Damariscotta; Lincoln Girls, New Harbor; Sunshine . . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Bartlett**, of Mr. and Mrs. Granville Turner, were visitors Friday in Augusta. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hallowell** and family attended Wednesday the funeral of Mrs. Lemuel Cooper of North Jefferson. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. Walter Withee**, Mrs. Arthur Withee and son Willard, Mrs. Maud Hibbert and son Royal were in Augusta Thursday on a visit. . . . .

**Percival Hieser** of Washington and Miss Evelyn Ada Whittey of Somerville were married Nov. 30 at Ridge-way farm in Windsor, by Rev. M. W. Russell. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. Edson Wellman** entertained last Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Withee, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Withee and son George. This occasion was to celebrate the birthday anniversaries of Edson Wellman and daughter Phyllis Dec. 7, and that of the youngest daughter, Elsie which fell on the previous day. Cards were played and later cake, ice cream and pop corn served. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. John Martin** of Norwood, Mass., were recent guests of Dr. Martin's father, S. D. Martin. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. Will Tunney** of Wiscasset spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clara Collamore. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Genthner** of West Waldoboro visited Saturday with Mrs. Eugene Genthner. . . . .

**Mrs. Florence Osier** and Mrs. Carrie Wallace were visitors in Rockland recently. . . . .

**Maurice and George Keene** are with relatives in Bucksport for a visit. L. W. Osier recently made a business trip to Portland. . . . .

**Legion's Donation Day**, Sunday, Dec. 15, at Strand Theatre. Admission by foodstuffs or cash, all going to local relief.—adv. 147-150

WEST ROCKPORT

**Marguerite B. Carroll** Marguerite Burgess, wife of Henry M. Carroll, died Nov. 18 at the Central Maine Sanatorium in Fairfield. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll first met when attending Bucksport Seminary and soon after Mr. Carroll's graduation 11 years ago, they were married and made their home in this community. Their marriage was a happy union, and the bride being of sweet and sunny disposition, easily endeared herself to all who made her acquaintance. In her early wedded life Mrs. Carroll united with the local Baptist Church. . . . .

**About two years ago her health** began to fail and all medical aid failed to stay the disease. Mr. Carroll took her to her former home at Bucksport where she was tenderly cared for by her mother. Later she was removed to the sanatorium, and there death claimed her despite all efforts to promote recovery. . . . .

**She leaves to mourn her untimely death**, her husband, three young sons, her parents, two brothers, besides a host of friends. The large gathering and beautiful flowers at the last rites held at the home of Mr. Carroll's father, T. J. Carroll at East Warren, were reminders that a dear wife and mother had departed. Burial was at West Rockport. . . . .

**Friends and acquaintances extend sympathy** to the bereaved survivors.

**Knox-Lincoln 4-H Club communities** have been divided into nine districts: Bristol District; will include the clubs in Bristol, Round Pond, So. Bristol, New Harbor and Pemaquid Beach; Boothbay Harbor District; includes North Edgcomb, Boothbay, East Boothbay, and Boothbay Harbor; Alma District; includes Whitefield, North Whitefield, West Alma, Alma, and Sheepscot; Damariscotta District; includes Damariscotta Mills, Damariscotta and Nobleboro; Waldoboro District; includes Jefferson, Orr's Corner, Waldoboro and Friendship; Union District; includes South Liberty, Burketville, Union and Warren; Camden District; includes West Rockport, Simonton, Camden and Hope; Tenants Harbor District; includes Port Clyde, Tenants Harbor and Georges River Road; and South Thomaston district; will include Owls Head and South Thomaston. . . . .

**Mrs. Lelia Turner** of Burketville is the new leader of the Jolly Husters 4-H which has recently reorganized. Mrs. Carolyn Leigh is her assistant. Other new leaders so far are: Mrs. Irving Rich of Union, leader of the Ambitious Maids; and Miss Shirley Burns, former club member, is leader of the Rainbow Workers of Waldoboro. . . . .

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**Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hallowell** and family attended Wednesday the funeral of Mrs. Lemuel Cooper of North Jefferson. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. Walter Withee**, Mrs. Arthur Withee and son Willard, Mrs. Maud Hibbert and son Royal were in Augusta Thursday on a visit. . . . .

**Percival Hieser** of Washington and Miss Evelyn Ada Whittey of Somerville were married Nov. 30 at Ridge-way farm in Windsor, by Rev. M. W. Russell. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. Edson Wellman** entertained last Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Withee, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Withee and son George. This occasion was to celebrate the birthday anniversaries of Edson Wellman and daughter Phyllis Dec. 7, and that of the youngest daughter, Elsie which fell on the previous day. Cards were played and later cake, ice cream and pop corn served. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. John Martin** of Norwood, Mass., were recent guests of Dr. Martin's father, S. D. Martin. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. Will Tunney** of Wiscasset spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clara Collamore. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Genthner** of West Waldoboro visited Saturday with Mrs. Eugene Genthner. . . . .

**Mrs. Florence Osier** and Mrs. Carrie Wallace were visitors in Rockland recently. . . . .

**Maurice and George Keene** are with relatives in Bucksport for a visit. L. W. Osier recently made a business trip to Portland. . . . .

**Legion's Donation Day**, Sunday, Dec. 15, at Strand Theatre. Admission by foodstuffs or cash, all going to local relief.—adv. 147-150

FRIENDSHIP

**Mrs. W. H. Hahn** was hostess at the Lincoln Home on Visitors' Day. Mrs. Etta Thompson and Mrs. Gertrude Burns were recent guests of Mrs. Nelson Sabien of Rockland. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Prior** and daughter of Medomak are making their home for the winter with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Chadwick. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Simmons** were recent day visitors at the home of Mrs. Frank Collamore. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. Russell Davis** and son Robert of Thomaston were callers on Mrs. Etta Thompson recently. . . . .

**Mrs. Hattie Springer** is in Portland to pass the winter with her nephew, Earl Stanley and Mrs. Stanley. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. Paul Simmons** have been visiting Mrs. Simmons' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson in Thomaston. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stenger** who have been visiting in Philadelphia, have returned home. . . . .

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EAST WASHINGTON

**It is reported that Charles Barnes** of Wiscasset has bought the lumber lot of Mrs. Clara Hibbard near Razorville and lumbering operations will be started at once. . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Overlock** were in Rockland last Saturday on a business and pleasure trip. . . . .

**A. E. Johnston** has employed Simon Turner to start out 50 cords of hard wood near Grotton's Corner in North Washington. . . . .

**Oscar Carroll** of Rockville was a business caller in this place recently. . . . .

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**Raymond Thurston** and sister Mrs. Belle Kenniston went Friday to Brattleboro, Vt., whence they will go to New Haven, Conn., where they will be the guests of Mrs. E. C. Wayland (Geneva Thurston). . . . .

**Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hawes** were guests at a dinner party given Friday at







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## SOCIETY

In addition to personal notes regarding departures and arrivals, this department especially desires information of social happenings, parties, musicals, etc. Notes sent by mail or telephone will be gladly received.

TELEPHONE 770 or 794

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman S. Young will leave by motor Monday for Sarasota, Fla. Mr. Young will again be in the employ of M. L. Townsend, real estate.

Mrs. J. Marden deShon of Portland has been guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Pillsbury.

Junior Harmony Club is to have an important business meeting this afternoon at 4 at the Universalist vestry. All officers must be present.

Mrs. Alphonso Blunt of Frenchboro was dinner guest Wednesday of her cousin, Mrs. John O. Stevens.

Mrs. Alice Mank entertained XOS Club at her home on Broadway Tuesday evening.

Parent-Teacher Association meeting will be held Monday night with demonstrations both by elementary school and in the features of the new lighting in school and home by Miss Priest of Central Maine Power Company.

At Pleasant Valley Grange Tuesday night the program will be the singing of Christmas carols and the Christmas tree. Each member will take a gift for the tree and any other they may choose. A box will be ready to receive gifts for a brother shut-in.

Mrs. Helen Gill Perry has returned from a few weeks' visit in Boston and vicinity, and will be with her daughter, Mrs. W. Seymour Cameron, for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McKinney returned Thursday from a trip to Boston, accompanied by their son Victor, on his way to Whitinsville, Mass., where he has employment.

Rounds Mothers' Class met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Rhama E. Philbrick, sewed and made plans to fill stockings for Miss Corbett to distribute at Christmas time. There were 15 present. Hostesses were Mrs. Philbrick, Mrs. Charles G. Hewett, Mrs. Chauncey Keene and Mrs. Archie Bowley.

Mrs. Stanley C. Boynton underwent an appendix operation at Knox Hospital Wednesday. Her condition shows improvement.

The Masonic Assembly Thursday evening brought out the usual jolly crowd which makes these events outstanding in winter social activities. Hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Perry and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer True of Hope. The next assembly will be Dec. 26, the hosts to be Mr. and Mrs. Carl Work, Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Treacartin, and Dr. M. C. Stephenson of Union.

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A Christmas gift that will last throughout the year—The Courier-Gazette, \$3.00 a year. Attractive gift card accompanies first issue.

Miss Edna Gregory motored to Farmington Thursday and returning yesterday was accompanied by her sister, Ruth, Emma Harding and Hazel Vasso, students at Farmington Normal School coming home for the holiday recess.

Winners at the card party sponsored by Miriam Rebekah Lodge Tuesday evening were L. P. Chase, Mrs. Harry W. French, A. R. Bachelder, Mr. French, Mrs. Higgins, Mrs. Inez Ames, and Miss Ruth Davis in pivot. The committee in charge was composed of Mrs. Belle Lewis, chairman, Miss Eva Rogers, Mrs. Ochea Sidsenpark, and Mrs. Cora Davis.

Mrs. Vera Studley Bailey and daughter for Jeanne leave the coming week for San Pedro Calif., to spend the winter with Mrs. Bailey's mother, Mrs. Jasper Akers.

C. S. Buxton of New York is spending a few days with his sister Mrs. A. B. Huntley, at The Highlands.

Mrs. Richard Lufkin entertained at cards Monday evening in honor of her mother, Mrs. Charles Hall. Mrs. Hall, who was presented with a guest prize, also carried off first honors, others being won by Mrs. Willis Lufkin, and Mrs. William Payson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jones will celebrate their golden wedding Monday, by keeping open house afternoon and evening at their home at 462 Old County road.

Mrs. Edward Ewing of Stoughton, Mass., arrived Thursday, called by the death of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Burpee.

Mrs. Fred Achorn, Mrs. John Thompson, Mrs. Maurice Athearn, Miss Margaret Bowler, Mrs. Brewster, Mrs. A. D. Morey, Mrs. Margaret Knowlton, and Mrs. Boynton Shadie won honors at the card party given Thursday afternoon by Edwin Libby-Relief Corps. It was the last party in the series, and Mrs. Streeter Webster won the capital prize, a pair of silk stockings.

Mrs. Richard Lufkin was hostess to Q. T. Club Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy Crane gave a dinner and contract Tuesday evening at their home on Beech street.

Chapin Class will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Gladys Biethen, Holmes street.

Epworth League's monthly social at the Methodist vestry Thursday evening was in the form of a Christmas party with a tree and appropriate exercises. The affair was largely attended and very enjoyable.

Miriam Rebekah Lodge will hold an afternoon card party Tuesday at Add Fellows hall at 2, with Mrs. Lola Smith in charge.

The card party at the Bok Home for Nurses Wednesday evening for the benefit of the incubator fund, Knox Hospital, had as winners: Mrs. G. M. Derry, Mrs. William T. Flint of Thomaston, Kennedy Crane, Miss Anne B. Blackington and Miss Miller; bridge, Mrs. Jane Foley, Mrs. Fred Jordan, Mrs. Kimball, Mrs. Fred Jordan, Mrs. Streeter Webster and Mrs. John Chisholm. A cake sale was also held in conjunction. The committee in charge comprised Mrs. Arthur W. Doherty, chairman, Mrs. Sanford W. Delano, Mrs. Isidor Gordon, Mrs. Harry Berman, Mrs. J. P. Burgess and Miss Ellen Daly.

There will be circle supper at the Universalist vestry Wednesday with Mrs. E. R. Veazie as chairman. Her helpers will be Mrs. Clyde Vining, Mrs. Donald Weeks, Miss Myrtle Herrick, Mrs. Ralph Calderwood, Mrs. James Diamond, Mrs. Harold Marshall, Mrs. George Palmer, Miss Adelaide Holmes, Miss Therese Smith, Mrs. A. E. Orr, Mrs. Howard Dunbar, Mrs. A. S. Peterson, Mrs. Eva Pease, Mrs. Arthur Marsh, and Mrs. A. B. Huntley.

Shakespeare Society meets Monday at the home of Mrs. Maude Blodgett with Mrs. Edith Blaney as leader for the reading of Act I of King Henry the Fourth Part II. The program will feature a debate on "Prince Henry is the Hero" with Mrs. Blaney, Mrs. Ruth Ellingwood, Miss Lucy Rhodes and Mrs. Helen Orne participating.

Mrs. Carl Christoffersen was hostess to the T Club last evening.

Ittoevik Club has called a special meeting for Friday afternoon, Dec. 23, at the home of Mrs. Leola Noyes, to work on Christmas seals.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Brown leave shortly for St. Petersburg for their usual winter sojourn.

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### WARREN

Rev. H. I. Holt spoke Tuesday evening before the Lions Club in Camden, and Wednesday afternoon at the Rockland Club.

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. was held this afternoon (Saturday) at Glover hall for the reports, election of officers and other business.

Mr. and Mrs. William Barrows returned Tuesday from Wilmington, Mass., where they had been guests for two weeks of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Barrows.

Sidney Vinal has the telephone 28-2. Mrs. Phyllis Foster of Pleasantville is boarding with Mrs. Laura Robinson for the winter.

The sermon topic Sunday morning at the Congregational Church will be "A Prophetic Photo of Christ," the evening service will be a further study of the psalms, entitled "Psalm of a Triumphant Messiah."

Mrs. Albert Ordway is a surgical patient in a private hospital in Waterville.

The cantata "The Herald Angels" will be given at the Baptist Church auditorium at 7 o'clock Sunday evening. The musical numbers for the Christmas season will be sung by a chorus of 20, with solos, duets, a trio, men's chorus and ladies' chorus.

The Mission Circle at its meeting Wednesday afternoon conducted the mite box opening. Picnic supper was enjoyed, after which 55 ladies attended the prayer service. Rev. J. C. MacDonald of the Rockland First Baptist Church was also present.

The Quintuplet 4-H Club will meet Wednesday with its leader, Mrs. Bertha Meservey, in Pleasantville, for a Christmas party.

Committees have been chosen for the supper and entertainment in connection with the annual inspection of Ivy Chapter, O.E.S., to be held Friday evening, the inspection by Mrs. Eunice Larabee the worthy grand matron of Belfast. Supper committee includes Mrs. Elmer Jameson, Mrs. Leroy Smith, Mrs. Nora Russell, Mrs.

Ethel Griffin, Mrs. T. V. Mathews, Mrs. Fred Mathews, and Mrs. C. Frank Berry; entertainment committee Mrs. Dana Smith, Sr., Mrs. Leroy Norwood and Mrs. Chester Wyllie.

Mrs. Arline Genthner is ill with bronchitis. Her place in the finishing room of the mill is being taken by Mrs. Janet Robinson.

### To Take Lead In Play

Congratulations are in order for Miss Marguerite Haskell, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Haskell, who has been chosen for the leading part in the three-act play "I Leave It To You," by Noel Coward, to be given Thursday night at the playhouse connected with the Leland Powers School of the Theatre in Boston. She was chosen from several seniors.

Miss Haskell often figured in dramatics in this community, and last year took the lead and directed the play "Presenting Polly," sponsored by the Woman's Club. She began her dramatic training after graduating from Warren High School in 1933, as the protégée of Adeyn Bushnell, and entered the Leland Powers School as junior in 1934. She will graduate next June.

Her sister, Miss Beatrice Haskell, who is studying the violin with Miss Jean Spitzer, member of the Curtis Institute faculty in Philadelphia, will join Marguerite in Boston to see the

play. They are expected to arrive next Saturday to spend Christmas here with Mr. and Mrs. Haskell.

### NORTH HAVEN

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bray are visiting out of town friends for a part of the winter.

Ralph Gillis and Kenneth Gillis were in Rockland Wednesday to meet their brother, Capt. Roderick Gillis, arriving from Boston.

A surprise party was given Wednesday night to Mr. and Mrs. Harland Gregory, in honor of their eighth wedding anniversary, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Sampson. Those pres-

ent were Mr. and Mrs. Irving Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Grant, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waterman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Neal Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Snow, Lester Sherer, Lawrence Grant, and Lloyd Whitmore. Games were played and refreshments served. Mr. and Mrs. Gregory received several presents.

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The lone dark rock stands out against the sky. High over its summit white-winged sea birds sail. And flick the azure ether as they fly. Above the splendor of the mist-cloud veil.

—Thaddeus Pomeroy Cressey

**Portland Head**

Keeper Roy Meyers of Ram Island Ledge, visited Monday with F. O. Hill. Mrs. Martha Sterling, with her sister Mrs. Charles Sterling of Peaks Island spent Tuesday in Portland.

R. T. Sterling recently gave an interesting address at the Young People's Christian Endeavor Society at the Williston Church in Portland.

An unusual sight greets our eyes as we look in the harbor and behold four sailing craft waiting for favorable weather.

Just don't know how it got there, but the idea is in our heads we were to get a large amount of good weather in December and here we sail along, going fast, nearly half the month checked off, and where, oh where, is the sun?

**The Cuckolds**

Here is a news bulletin from our Light, which for some time has been "seen and not heard."

We don't have a telephone to connect us with the outside world, but we do have our radio which we greatly enjoy.

Benjamin Norton who has been substituting for the keepers, has returned to his home in Ellsworth. Misses Juanita and Myrtle Seavey spent last weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Seavey.

The tender Hibiscus called at this station Dec. 2 and landed lumber for repair work.

Mrs. Josie Alley and children Josie and Richard have been spending a few days here as guests of Mrs. Alley's sister, Mrs. Foss.

Superintendent Sampson inspected this station Nov. 12.

Mr. Seavey got a nice deer while on his vacation. Justin Foss Jr. also shot one. They were both much pleased with their hunting trip.

Keeper and Mrs. Foss have returned from a 15-day vacation which they enjoyed. The greater part of the time they passed with their daughter Mrs. Albert Anderson and her children who are attending school at Brooklyn.

They also visited friends at Beals, Jonesport and Machias, and were callers in Bangor.

Everyone here is talking Christmas and plans are in progress to make all the folks happy.

As I am writing, I am listening to a speech from our President of the United States.

Old man winter has visited the Cuckolds. It has been plenty cold and the signal was in operation for vapor Thursday and Friday.

We are sorry to hear of Keeper Staples' illness and hope for an early recovery.

As news is running low, we sign off with best regards to everyone along the coast.

**Ram Island**

Keeper Robinson and son Millard were in town Monday for supplies and mail. When they were leaving the harbor the rudder post broke, and they were towed back to the light by Liston McIntire.

Keeper Robinson and sons Guy and Millard helped haul up the boat of

## HUNTING SEASON REVIEWED

### A "Poor Sport" Deservedly Censured—Open Season On Moose Unlikely Next Year

As another successful big game hunting season nears its close in Maine, the annual indoor sport of post-morteming the hunt is well underway.

One of the season's most unfortunate occurrences took place on the Kennebec river between Farmingdale and Randolph. A deer, attempting to swim the river, was chased successfully from one shore to the other by a rain of bullets from hunters on both shores. Finally emerging exhausted on Randolph shore the doe was immediately shot down. It happened within sight of the main highway.

The feeling aroused by the incident is summed up in a communication from one who signed his name as "Fair Play." Reviewing the incident, he concluded, "A human being who would not give a poor dumb animal any more chance for his life than they gave this deer should never be allowed to carry a gun." There was some compensation in that a hunter paid a fine for not registering the deer, apparently feeling anything but proud of his kill. But the unfortunate impression created by the episode became indelible in the minds of many.

This sentiment was expressed vividly to a quartet of Bay State hunters who passed through a town last year, their trailer sagging under a ton of slaughtered deer and moose taken in New Brunswick. The deer, "murderers," passed down a line of pedestrians as the hunters drove by. This year they returned for another ton.

The annual season when residents in cities and towns along the Maine highways see hundreds of cars pass through, their running boards heaped high with game, create the impression that it may not be a very difficult or sporting proposition to get a deer. The sentiment is not uncommon that almost anyone who can aim a gun can get a deer, and if he can't shoot one, he can buy one.

The reply from the successful hunter is, "All right, let's see you go out and get one! You go out and tramp through the woods all day long for a week, perhaps sighting a dozen and not hitting one. And if you still think it's not sport, come and tell me."

Probably the most sporting angle to the whole subject, from the deer's point of view, is the fact that the hunters not only shoot deer, but they shoot each other in large numbers.

Last year 13 hunters were killed in Maine, in a season when between 14,000 and 15,000 deer were taken. In other words, nearly one hunter was killed for each thousand deer, which is a fairly sporting proposition, considering the difference in value between human life and animal life.

During the war human life was valued by the Government at \$10,000, the maximum amount allowed the soldier in Government insurance, while the value of a deer, according to unauthorized reports of how much you have to pay for one if you can't shoot one, varies from \$5 upwards. Calling the average price \$10, the odds are even.

The risk does not compare unfavorably with bull fighting, a much more brutal form of slaughter than deer hunting. In Spain it takes 6,000 horses' lives every year to kill about 1300 bulls. The best information that can be obtained on the human element is the report that "human life is rarely sacrificed."

For a State which has less than the average of bank robberies, gang wars and torch murders, the deer hunting season produces an annual thrill that more than satisfies.

Maine was second last year in human lives lost during its hunting season. New York was first with 17 deaths. The total for the country was 87. This year Maine has recorded 17 deaths and 14 injuries, according to incomplete reports. What with better times providing sportsmen with money to buy rifles and bullets, and with it much easier this year to shoot one in the back yard of a farmhouse, the total kill will probably climb up high enough to maintain the proportion of 1000 deer to one human life.

Big game hunting came in for a sound rebuke last week when a warden in the southern part of the State made a speech in which he said that shooting moose is no more sport than shooting an old horse. He described the forest monarchs as lazy, stupid animals. He squared himself with the State by pointing out that moose are distinctly important as a tourist attraction. Game wardens as a whole are emphatically on the side of the animals, looking first to their care, although in their capacity as employees of the State they cannot forget the importance of big game as a recreational attraction to out-of-staters.

Moose hunting, which was legal in three counties for three days this year, will probably not be allowed by the next Legislature. About 50 of the animals were shot during the open season in Knox, Lincoln and Waldo counties, making a large slice in the total population of only about 2000 moose in Maine. As the animal which adorns the State of Maine Seal, the moose will be preserved as long as the last one can be encouraged to hang on.

Deer hunting, king of sports in the northern climates is here to stay.

Like horse racing and automobile driving, it is subject to the abuses of crackpots and ne'er-do-wells who abuse any enterprise or form of diversion in which they participate. There are many hunters who will go into the woods and open fire on any movement of bushes or sign of life with the hope of hitting a deer. Attempts will probably be made to curb careless hunting as time goes on and people become more aware of the toll of human life. Maine Development Commission officials recognize deer hunting as one of the State's prime resources.

The indoor sports of telling the home folks about the hunt appears to grow better each year, according to the stories which reach the newspapers. A particularly striking story was submitted by one local hunter who was reported to have been separated from his companions in the woods. He discharged three of his four last shells as salutes, only to sight a huge buck. With the fourth he brought the buck down and immediately ran to bleed the animal. As he reached the buck, the animal started struggling to its feet. The valiant hunter then seized the buck by the antlers, and by dint of brute force held it down until his companions arrived on the scene and shot the deer.

This story, when printed, brought a delegation of hunters to the newspaper office with the cry that no such thing could be possible. Yet a nearly identical story appeared in a Boston paper a week later, in which a Gloucester hunter held a doe down until help came.

An experienced Augusta hunter tells of an occurrence in which he tried to seize a buck by the antlers, only to find himself flying through the air and landing on his back while the animal did a lively toe dance about him with his knife-like hooves. He says he would never take another chance with a live buck.

The toll of human life, the actual ferocity of an occasional wounded buck and many other factors enter into making deer hunting a sport that cannot be classed as child's play. There are hundreds of people who would like to take a shot at a deer but would not dare venture into the woods and take their chances with that 1000 to 1 ratio.

Probably the most disagreeable aspect of the whole procedure of going hunting is coming back without a deer and explaining why. A South Portland hunter told it to his wife this way: "You see, I've got a deer up there, but it's hung up on a tree five miles into the woods, and it was too big to carry out. I'll go back next week and find it because the trail is blazed. If I can't find it, the warden said he would get it."

A week passed, at the end of which the hunter told his wife that he had covered the trail markers and he replied that she had lost her hankering for venison anyway.—Kennebec Journal.

## LEARN BY MAIL

### Merchant Marine Academy To Instruct Boys and Young Men

The American Nautical Academy, National Training School for Merchant Marine Officers Washington, D. C., announces the seventh annual offer of a course in nautical instruction by mail in their own home to boys and young men between 10 and 23 years of age who wish to become acquainted with the advantages offered by the United States Merchant Marine as a career.

The purpose of the course is: First, as a foundation for those who wish to become officers in the Merchant Marine and devote their lives to a career in the service; Secondly, for those boys and young men, who, though not desirous of following the sea, still wish to obtain a general knowledge of ships and the life at sea.

There is no tuition charge for any of the courses offered by the Academy, and no obligation for future merchant marine, military or naval service of any kind is incurred by the young men.

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Examinations will be held at stated intervals and boys receiving a passing grade will be allowed to spend a period of time during their summer vacation on board a training ship of the Academy in order to gain practical experience. There is no cost for instruction nor for living quarters on board ship, but a charge of 39 cents is made for meals.

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## Realm of Music

By Gladys St. Clair Morgan

Musical Courier recently carried a picture of Winifred Christie, noted pianist and exponent of the Moor Double Keyboard Piano, which holds particular interest here, for with Mrs. Christie is shown her manager, Dorothy Pillsbury Stetson, who has often been a visitor in the home of our aunt, Mrs. Lillian S. Copping. The same picture also appeared in the Musical Leader (Chicago), accompanied by the following:

"We had a delightful afternoon with Leopold Godowsky and Winifred Christie, the pianist who plays the Moor Double Keyboard Piano exclusively and who begins her recital tour this month under the management of Dorothy Pillsbury Stetson, who was among Mr. Godowsky's guests. Miss Christie is engaged to play the 'Godowsky' concerto with the Cincinnati orchestra (Eugene Goossens conducting) next January, and this promises to be one of the highlights of the season. Mr. Godowsky's reaction to the instrument invented by Emanuel Moor is uncommonly interesting. We gained the impression that the master pianist regards this piano as the instrument of the future since effects not possible on the piano now universally used, can be obtained on the Moor Double Keyboard. Mr. Godowsky emphasized its potential value to future pianists, explaining that the most difficult works written for the piano of today could be played with a great deal less effort than is now possible. Mr. Godowsky's comprehension of the mechanism and construction of the Moor Piano and his breadth of vision gave us a slant on what may be the future of the piano."

Those who were privileged to hear Mrs. Christie in recital and lecture at Bowdoin College last winter recall many times her impeccable artistry, her authority as a lecturer, and her gracious charm.

Among letters laid aside for future attention I come across one from Helen Bartlett Follett, a former Rockland girl now living in Mt. Vernon, N. Y. Miss Follett encloses a program of Rachmaninoff's piano recital given there under the auspices of the Mt. Vernon Teachers Ass'n. And what a wonderful program, Variations in E major by Haendel; Three Sonatas by Chopin; Chopin's Sonata in B minor, for his first group, and for the remainder, Nachtschmerz by Schumann, The Brooklet by Schubert-Rachmaninoff, Scherzo (from Midsummer Night's Dream) by Mendelssohn-Rachmaninoff, Etude by Rachmaninoff, Spinning Song from "Flying Dutchman" by Wagner, Liszt and Magic Fire Music by Wagner-Brassini, and Waltz by Strauss-Tausig.

The pianist, who is being received with more acclaim this season than ever was greeted by an audience of 1400, and the reviews agreed that the program "revealed a versatile genius whose consummate technical skill and interpretative ability breathed a vital spark into all the works performed." One of his encores was the ever popular "Prelude in C sharp minor."

Miss Follett writes: "The course of concerts sponsored by the Mt. Vernon Teachers Association includes five concerts, the first of which was Rachmaninoff. The others are to be Maganini Chamber Symphony, Gladys Swarthout, Trude Schoop's Comic Ballet, and Viola Mitchell (violinist). The cost of the course is \$5. This is the third series. Last year we had Kreisler, Dusolina Giannini, Russian Symphonic Choir, and a noted ballet dancer who is in the film "Midsummer Night's Dream." Being in the school where

It is heartening to receive letters from old-time friends, but it gave me a heart-pang to note Mt. Vernon, as it brought back to me so forcefully the loss of that helpful friend, Dion Woolley, who made his home in that town. How I miss his friendly interest, his cheerful letters so filled with musical anecdotes and suggestions and ideas! What his death a musical prop was taken from me, as I had come to rely on his encouragement and advice to no small extent.

And speaking of the Ballet Russe, it is glad news to note that this famous troupe is coming to Portland City Hall on Wednesday, March 25, in its only Maine appearance. The ballet is now on the longest tour ever undertaken in this country by a repertory ballet company, covering 110 principal trans-continental cities en route to the coast. They played to capacity houses for 18 performances in New York, and a similar triumph in Boston in seven performances. The entire company of 64 dancers and a symphony orchestra will come to Portland with its complete scenic and lighting equipment, and will present three of the most important ballets in its repertoire.

Organized in Monte Carlo under the patronage of the hereditary Princess of Monaco three years ago, the company includes some of the most distinguished dance proteges of the late Serge Diaghilev, whose famous Ballet Russe was disbanded at his death in 1929. This brilliant Russian ballet, more specifically known as Colonel W. Basil's Ballet Russe, is the most popular theater art of them all, combining as it does drama, comedy, music, decor, and dancing. Col. de Basil's company is the direct inheritor of that art which produced Nijinsky and Pavlova. The Colonel, a former military man of old Russia and lately the director of the Russian Opera in Paris, organized his ballet a year after Diaghilev died.

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